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1896.

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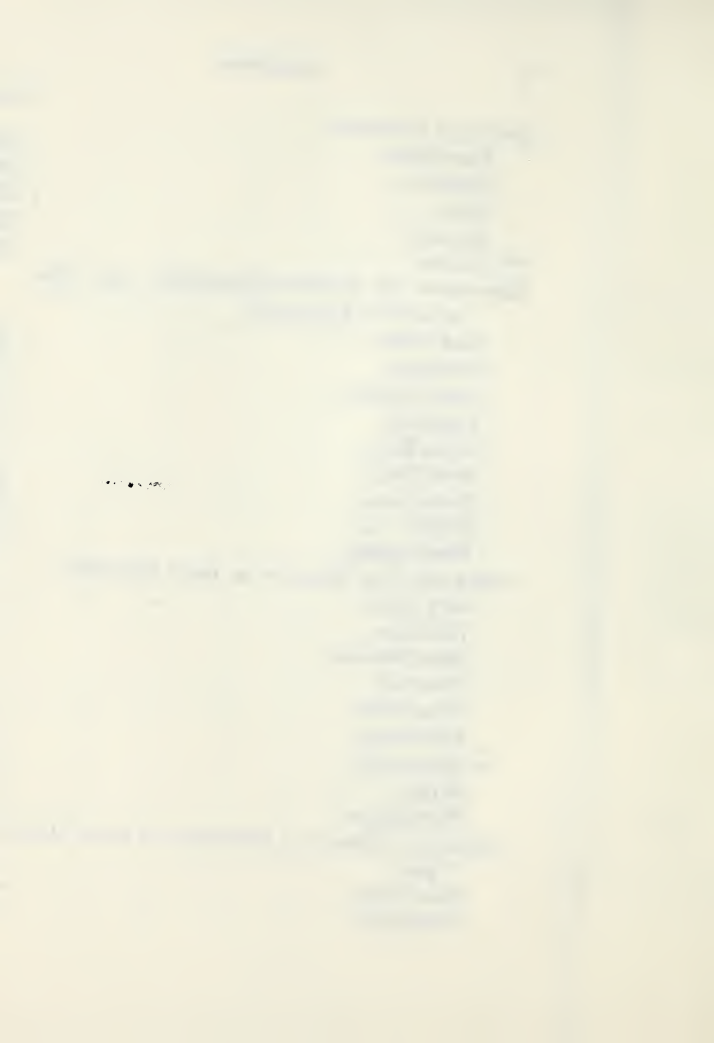
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FRIENDS IN NEW YORK.

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EARLY SETTLEMENT.

IN 1656, hardly a decade after the rise of Friends in England, while as yet New Amsterdam on the southern extremity of Manhattan Island was a mere Dutch trading post and fort, Long Island had already become the resort of the Quakers.

They fled thither from the bitter persecutions then rife in Massachusetts and the other colonies, landing and making settlements at Oyster Bay and other points on the northern shore of Long Island. Richard Smith is the first of these settlers whose name appears on our annals.

Other Friends crossed from the Jersey coast in small sloops and the frail canoes of kindly Indians to Coney Island and established themselves at Gravesend, Flushing, Newtown, Jericho, Westbury, and neighboring places. At Gravesend especially they congregated in considerable numbers in 1656 and 1657. Many became convinced of their principles and joined the Society. The first regular meeting on the island was here organized and maintained.

Lady Deborah Moody figures prominently in the records of that day. She is the "Countess of Mordee" of the quaint historian Croese, a gentlewoman who had come to this remote spot to enjoy the religious freedom elsewhere denied her. She seems to have been endowed

with rare Christian gifts and graces. The meetings were held at her house, but with such wise observance of time and place on her part as to give no offence to others, "so she and her people remained free from all molestation." The Dutch governors treated her with respect, and for many years she had the naming of the Gravesend magistrates, one of whom in 1657 was a Friend named William Bowne.

The small bark *Woodhouse* brought the first Gospel messengers from Friends of England to Manhattan Island in Eighth month, 1657. Its captain, Robert Fowler, was a Friend consecrated to the Lord's service, and the voyage itself was a triumph of faith. Of the eleven who formed this ship's company, Robert Hodgson, Richard Doudney, Mary Weatherhead, Dorothy Waugh, and Sarah Gibbons landed at New Amsterdam and entered at once upon the Gospel work to which they felt drawn. The courtesy with which the doughty Dutch magnate at first received them was short-lived. Many and sore were the trials that they and their fellow-confessors endured. Robert Hodgson attained a sorrowful pre-eminence among his brethren in the truth on account of the ignominious sufferings inflicted on him. The hand of Peter Stuyvesant was almost as heavy upon the despised Quakers as that of John Endicott, of Boston, had been.

But under the pressure of adversity the Church grew and multiplied, the Lord adding to it daily such as were being saved. A scruple against numbering the people, as savoring of carnal vanity, kept the enumeration out of the early records, but such entries as the following: "Divers were convinced of the truth," "a

large number joined themselves to Friends at this meeting," attest to their steady increase. Not infrequently those who came out full of mistaken zeal to hale men and women to prison and to judgment were smitten under the hand of the Lord and became themselves standard bearers in the Church.

John Bowne was an Englishman of good standing, whose first recorded visit to Long Island was in 1651. Three or four years later he seems to have settled at Flushing. His wife, Hannah, became interested in the Friends' orchard meetings and induced her husband to attend one with her. They were convinced of Friends' principles, joined the Society, and soon became eminent as ministers in it. In 1662 the Flushing meeting was held at their house, which continued in use for this purpose until the erection of a meeting house in 1696. This old homestead, rich in sacred associations, is still standing in good preservation at Flushing.

The dedication of his house to the Lord proved a costly sacrifice for John Bowne. In the same year (1662) he was arrested for harboring Quakers and holding meetings in his dwelling place. He was fined, imprisoned, and finally banished to Holland. Exiled from home, it was but to plead his people's cause and from a fairer tribunal to obtain the enactment of more righteous laws. The decree of the West India Company with which he returned to Long Island is noteworthy as the first document of the kind, save one other, insuring religious liberty in this country. It was effectual, for with its publication all open persecution of the Quakers ceased.

John Burnyeat and William Edmundson were among

the earliest ministering Friends who visited the Long Island meetings. They came in 1666, 1671, and 1676. Their labors were richly blessed.

In the spring of 1672 George Fox paid a memorable visit to Flushing and the adjacent meetings. Many others, fathers and mothers in the Truth, ministered in Gospel love to the needs of the growing young Church.

James Wood, in the "Bicentennial of New York Yearly Meeting," says :

"The meetings upon Long Island appear to have been established in the following order: those at Gravesend and Flushing in 1657; that at Oyster Bay in 1660; those at the Farms, the Kills, and Newtown before 1676; Matinecock in 1684; Jamaica and Hempstead in 1692. In 1687 the Monthly Meeting ordered that meetings be held at Edmund Titus', Westbury; at Jericho, Bethphage, and Jerusalem. Sequatogue was established in 1700, Cow Neck in 1703, Huntington in 1728, Rockaway in 1742, Setauket in 1743, and Stony Brook at an earlier date."

Of these nineteen meetings one only, that at Westbury, is in existence in our branch of the Society at the present day.

The earlier meetings were soon organized into Monthly and Quarterly Meetings, and a Half-year's Meeting was held at Oyster Bay from 1665.

These were at first all subordinate to New England. but by the following Minute they were set off and organized into New York Yearly Meeting:

"At a Yearly Meeting at the house of Walter Newberry in Rhode Island, 14th of Fourth month, 1695, among the meetings called are Long Island. It is

agreed that the meetings at Long Island be from this time a general meeting, and that John Bowne and John Rodman shall take care to receive all such papers as shall come to the Yearly Meeting in Long Island and correspond with Friends appointed in London."

At Shelter Island, near the eastern point of Long Island, there was in those days another haven of rest to which weary exiles on account of religion were wont to resort. They ever found the heart and home of its noble proprietor, Nathaniel Sylvester, open to welcome and comfort them. He was well and widely known as a succorer of many by his fellow-members on both sides of the Atlantic. The old mansion so given to hospitality is still standing and is owned by a lineal descendant of its former possessor.

MEETINGS ON THE MAINLAND.

At the time of George Fox's visit to Long Island in the early summer of 1673 we begin to get glimpses of the mainland. In G. F.'s journal the following memorandum occurs:

"At Oister Bay we had a very large Meeting: and the same day James Lancaster and Christopher Holder went over the Bay to Rye on the Continent, in Governor Winthrop's Government, and had a meeting there." James Wood adds: "These were the first Quakers, so far as known, who set foot in Westchester County."

Vredeland, "the Land of Peace," as the Dutch then called Westchester, seemed a fit refuge for those who were "bruised and broken down by persecution," and by 1685 a number of Friends had settled near Westchester.

By the Minutes of the Quarterly Meeting held at Jericho, Long Island, Twelfth month, 27th, 1685, it appears that a meeting was to be held at Westchester in place of Gravesend meeting on the last First day of Fourth month, 1686.

The Lord, who ever goeth before His people to choose out resting places for them, had at this juncture providentially opened a section of country for occupancy by the Friends. Between the Dutch settlers on the east side of the Hudson River and the Presbyterians of the Connecticut border there existed little good feeling. Bickerings and petty disputes prevailed, and, in their jealous avoidance of each other, these settlers had left between them a narrow strip of land which neither party cared to occupy. Upon this unused territory the Quakers, non-conductors of animosity, now entered.

As Westchester County filled up they kept on northward through Putnam, Dutchess, Columbia, Rensselaer, Saratoga, and Washington counties, and through the western border of Vermont into Canada.

With the growth and increase of the meetings came the establishment of new Quarters, and as these in turn outgrew their limits others were set up. Those west of the Hudson are of more recent date, all having been established within the present century.

MEETINGS IN CANADA.

Friends in Canada were first organized into meetings in 1804. Pelham and Yonge Street meetings belonged to Philadelphia Yearly Meeting, and Adolphus Monthly Meeting to New York. In 1809 these were organized into a Half-year's Meeting and all the meet-

ings were united with New York Yearly Meeting. In 1841 Pelham Quarterly Meeting was established, and Yonge Street and West Lake Quarterly Meetings in 1848. In 1867 New York Yearly Meeting set off these meetings to form Canada Yearly Meeting.

Farnham, in the Province of Quebec, being remote and isolated from the other Canadian meetings and only twenty-five miles north of the Vermont border, was not included in the above arrangement. It is still an integral part of Ferrisburg Quarterly Meeting.

OUTLYING MEETINGS IN MICHIGAN, MASSACHUSETTS, AND PENNSYLVANIA.

Adrian Quarterly Meeting, established in Michigan in 1843 under the auspices of the New York Yearly Meeting, was in 1869 set off to Ohio.

Thriving meetings at East Hoosack, Mass., were at one time included within our limits and from 1815 to 1844 we find a Preparative Meeting at Deerfield, Penn., reporting to Farmington.

EARLY RECORDS AND THEIR PRESERVATION.

The first records are scanty ones. The Friends were too busy setting up new meetings and looking after the interests of the scattered flocks to devote much time to the chronicles of their doings or progress. They had not only to live down persecution and overcome prejudice among their fellow-colonists, but their work was carried on amid all the difficulties and privations of pioneer life.

To plant or to visit meetings in those days meant the traversing of unsubdued wildernesses, the fording of rapid streams, the wading through marshes, and the

tracking of paths, axe in hand, through the forests primeval of a new country; "in perils oft," yet ever proving the grace of God to be sufficient for the day's needs.

The first series of Minutes, comprising, so far as known, the earliest records of the meetings, bearing date 1672 to 1703, were found and rescued from oblivion some years ago in the garret of a Friend's house at Flushing. These sheets are fragmentary and discolored, but of much value as original documents. Their practical utility is enhanced by an excellent "translation," index, and annotations by which they are accompanied. The whole, well bound, makes a thin quarto volume. A second volume of Minutes, covering an important period in the early history of the Yearly Meeting, from 1703 to 1746, is in the possession of Hicksite Friends at their Fifteenth Street Meeting-house, New York.

The subsequent Minutes from 1746 to the present time, filling in all eight or nine folio volumes, are in the possession of New York Yearly Meeting. There have also been collected through patient efforts of a few Friends the Quarterly, Monthly, and Preparative Meeting Minute Books from every section of the Yearly Meeting, so far as these could be obtained.

There are, besides the Minute Books, record books of births, marriages, deaths, and other matters. This collection of manuscripts forms a rich mine of information for the future historian.

The evolution of our Church polity and of the present order of conducting business is a study not without suggestiveness. Stereotyped forms of expression are of

more recent growth. There is a delightful freshness and tenderness of spirit manifest in these early papers in the naïve recital of their dealings with offenders.

In a Minute made in 1674 Friends are advised:

“That such as sheould finde any thing upon them should goe unto a certain woman member of Flushing and speak unto her in love and in ye meekness for taking a husband of ye world and not in ye unity of Friends.”

Another member justified her disorderly marriage to “Ffriends greef,” yet they “doe wait with grate tenderness to such as are weake with hope that ye God will grant her repentance.”

On other pages we read of the labors of some of their fellow-members over two estranged brethren, and of the reward of their persistent faithfulness in the reconciliation of these two, who shake hands with an avowal of renewed good will in the open meeting.

In 1676 the message of ten women Friends to a sick sister is quite touching. They send her their “deare love,” and commiserating her illness they send her also “sum things to nurish thy sick body.” They desire that she “may be preserved in tenderness and in the feare of the Lord to the end of her days”

How loosely constructed the tenure of membership was at that time may be seen by an entry on the Yearly Meeting Minutes of 1747. “The difficulty in knowing their members” was a subject brought up from one of the Subordinate Meetings. This was referred to a committee, who found it “too weighty a matter to come at present.” Year after year it was brought up for consideration, but it was not till 1756 that the Yearly

Meeting adopted in the following Minute the solution of the knotty problem:

“ON KNOWING MEMBERS.

“It is concluded that none be esteemed members but such as come in by request and are entered in the Monthly Meeting where they belong, or such as are the descendants of Friends, and that all such be dealt with if they have transgressed, let their transgressions be of never so long standing.”

PLACES OF HOLDING THE YEARLY MEETING.

New York Yearly Meeting was held at

Flushing, Long Island,	from 1695 to 1777.
Westbury, “ “	“ 1777 “ 1794.
New York City,	“ 1794 “ 1873.
Rochester, N. Y.,	in 1873.
New York City,	“ 1874 and 1875.
Rochester, N. Y.,	“ 1876.
New York City,	“ 1877.
Glens Falls, N. Y.,	from 1878 to 1882, inclusive.
New York City,	in 1883.
Glens Falls, N. Y.,	“ 1884 and 1885.
New York City,	“ 1886. Joint sessions adopted.
Glens Falls, N. Y.,	from 1887 to 1889, inclusive.
Poughkeepsie, N. Y.,	“ 1890 “ 1892, “
Glens Falls, N. Y.,	in 1893.
New York City,	“ 1894 and 1895, Centennial and Bicenten- nial years.
Poughkeepsie, N. Y.,	in 1896.

LIST OF CLERKS OF THE YEARLY MEETING.

No Clerk appears to have been appointed prior to 1763. The following Friends have since that time served the Meeting in this capacity :

Edward Burling,	1763 to 1774, inclusive.
George Bowne,	1775.
Oliver Hull,	1776.
William Rickman,	1777.
Oliver Hull,	1778 and 1779.
Silas Downing,	1780 to 1783, inclusive.
Edmund Prior,	1784 " 1786, "
George Bowne,	1787 " 1789, "
James Mott,	1790 " 1792, "
George Bowne,	1793 " 1797, "
Richard Mott,	1798.
John Murray, Jr.,	1799 and 1800.
Richard Mott,	1801 to 1803, inclusive.
John Murray, Jr.,	1804 " 1806, "
Richard Mott,	1807.
John Barrow,	1808.
Richard Mott,	1809 to 1816, inclusive.
Samuel Parsons,	1817 " 1841, "
Richard Mott,	1842 " 1850, "
Richard Carpenter,	1851 " 1856, "
William Wood,	1857 " 1867, "
Stephen Wood,	1868.
William Wood,	1869 and 1870.
Robert Lindley Murray,	1871 to 1874, inclusive.
Augustus Taber,	1875 " 1881, "
James Wood,	1882.
Augustus Taber,	1883 to 1890, inclusive.
Charles H. Jones,	1891 " 1893.
James Wood,	1894 and 1895.

MEETINGS FOR DISCIPLINE.

The first Meetings for Discipline in New York of which we have accounts were held in 1671 or 1672. Rules for the government of the Society in that early day, similar to those now in use, are found in the records.

In 1762 the Discipline of Philadelphia, as revised by that Meeting in 1719, was approved by the Yearly Meeting of New York and recommended to be used by the Subordinate Meetings. In 1783 the Discipline was revised, and again in 1800 at which time 250 copies were ordered printed, written copies having been in use up to that date. In 1810, 1859, and 1877 the Discipline was again revised, the last time very thoroughly. In 1895 a new edition, containing a few minor alterations, was published and is now in use.

In 1749 the Yearly Meeting directed the appointment of representatives by Monthly to Quarterly Meetings and by the latter to the Yearly Meeting.

The Meeting for Sufferings, so-called because the first work that devolved upon it was the investigation and relief of Friends who were suffering under persecution for Truth's sake, was established in 1758. In 1859 its title was changed to that of Representative Meeting.

NEW YORK YEARLY MEETING

OF TO-DAY :

ITS SUBORDINATE MEETINGS,

QUARTERLY, MONTHLY,

PREPARATIVE.

ITS SESSIONS, OFFICERS,

AND

STANDING COMMITTEES.

NEW YORK YEARLY MEETING.

Among the fifteen Yearly Meetings of Friends in the world New York occupies in order of priority the sixth place, their establishment having been in the following order :

London Yearly Meeting,	. . .	1668.
Dublin (Half-year) "	. . .	1670.
Baltimore Yearly Meeting,	. . .	1672.
New England Yearly Meeting,	. . .	1683.
Philadelphia " "	. . .	1685.
New York " "	. . .	1695.

The Orthodox Society of Friends forms one body, but each Yearly Meeting constitutes an independent autonomy in enacting and executing its disciplinary regulations.

The bond of union among the several Yearly Meetings is maintained by the interchange of annual epistles, by issuing and receiving the credentials of travelling ministers and of certificates of removal to members on change of residence, and by joint participation in religious and benevolent enterprises.

Total membership of New York Yearly Meeting in 1895, 3,808.

NEW YORK YEARLY MEETING.

includes {
 Nine Quarterly Meetings,
 Twenty-Seven Monthly Meetings,
 Thirty-Eight Preparative Meetings,
 Six Indulged Meetings.

QUARTERLY MEETINGS.

New York,	Ferrisburg,
Purchase,	Butternuts,
Nine Partners,	Scipio,
Cornwall,	Farmington.
Glens Falls,	

MONTHLY MEETINGS.

New York,	Ferrisburg,
Westbury.	Farnham.
Purchase,	Butternuts,
Chappaqua,	Westmoreland,
Yorktown.	West Branch,
	Smyrna.
Poughkeepsie,	Scipio,
Nine Partners,	Hector,
Oblong,	Evans' Mills.
Stanford.	
Cornwall,	Farmington,
Marlboro.	Rochester,
	Elba,
Glens Falls,	Hartland,
Moreau.	Collins.

PREPARATIVE MEETINGS.

New York,	Ferrisburg,
Brooklyn.	Monkton,
Westbury.	South Starksboro.
Purchase,	Morris,
Mamaroneck,	West Laurens,
Chappaqua,	Smyrna,
Croton Valley,	Brookfield.
Yorktown.	
Croton.	North Street,
	Poplar Ridge,
Poughkeepsie,	Skaneateles,
La Grange,	Union Springs.
Stanford,	
Clinton Corners.	Rochester,
	Elba,
Cornwall,	Batavia,
Highland Mills,	Hartland,
Valley,	Collins,
Clintondale,	Farmington,
Milton,	Macedon.
Rosendale,	
Butterville.	

INDULGED MEETINGS.

Unionville, near Valley, Ulster Co.
 Cornwall Landing—on the Hudson.
 Luzerne, } near Glens Falls.
 Queensbury. }
 South Glens Falls, near Glens Falls.
 Fort Edward Centre, “ “ “

ORDER OF MEETINGS.

The Preparative Meetings are held once a month. They send representatives and report to the Monthly Meetings.

The Monthly Meetings are the executive power so far as the individual members are concerned, subject to appeal to the Quarterly or Yearly Meeting.

They are held monthly and send representatives and reports to the Quarterly Meetings.

Each Quarterly Meeting convenes four times a year and receives reports from the Monthly Meetings which constitute it. A summary of these reports is made and forwarded to the Yearly Meeting. Several Friends are appointed at the session of the Quarterly Meeting which precedes the Yearly Meeting to attend it as representatives.

Upon these Quarterly Meeting representatives devolves the nomination each year of the Clerks and Standing Committees of the Yearly Meeting, such nomination being subject to the ratification of the Meeting at large. Other important business is referred to these Quarterly Meeting representatives during the sessions of the Yearly Meeting.

The place of holding the Yearly Meeting is decided upon in advance from year to year, according to convenience.

Since 1886 men and women Friends have met in one body for the transaction of the business of the Church. Before that time they met in separate sessions, each passing upon business of general importance.

TIME OF HOLDING YEARLY MEETING.

The sessions of the Yearly Meeting commence on the last Sixth day in Fifth month at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

These continue in two daily sessions, beginning at 10 A.M. and at 3:30 P.M., through the week, and from Second to Fourth day inclusive of the week following, or until the business is completed.

Meetings for Public Worship during Yearly Meeting time are held on First day at 10:30 A.M., 3:30 and 7:30 P.M., and on Fourth day at 10:30 A.M.

Devotional Meetings at 8:30 A.M. and at 6:30 P.M. are held through Yearly Meeting week, and evening meetings beginning at 7:45 P.M. are devoted to the various branches of church work, evangelical, philanthropic, and educational.

The Yearly Meeting of Ministers and Elders is held on Fifth day preceding the Yearly Meeting proper, at 10 A.M.

The Quarterly Meetings of Ministers and Elders all send reports and representatives to this body.

The Representative Meeting is a Standing Committee of the Yearly Meeting. It consists of forty members, each Quarterly Meeting being represented in it.

The appointment is triennial.

The Representative Meeting convenes on the Fifth day preceding the opening of Yearly Meeting, at 7:30 P.M. It also meets in New York on the first Third day in Twelfth month, at 10 A.M.

LIST

OF THE PRESENT OFFICERS AND STANDING COMMITTEES OF NEW YORK YEARLY MEETING.

Clerk—James Wood,

Mount Kisco, New York.

Correspondents—William H. S. Wood,

No. 43 East 10th Street, New York.

Robert W. Lawrence,

No. 301 Produce Exchange, New York.

Treasurer—Robert I. Murray,

No. 409 Broadway, New York.

Clerk of Meeting of Ministers and Elders—

Mary S. Knowles,

Union Springs, New York.

Clerk of Representative Meeting—Charles W. Lawrence,

No. 301 Produce Exchange, New York.

MEMBERS OF REPRESENTATIVE MEETING.

1895-1898.

William H. S. Wood,

David S. Taber,

Charles W. Lawrence,

James Wood,

David H. Lane,

Henry Wood,

Henry H. Swift,

Adna F. Heaton,

Elmer D. Gildersleeve,

Albert K. Smiley,

Arthur E. Bell,

Stephen T. Birdsall,

George L. Carey,

Isaac McKeel,

Caleb Wixom,

Thomas R. Baker,

Ann M. Haines,

Mary S. Knowles,

J. William Peckham,

James P. Knowles,

Hannah E. Soden,

Robert M. Ferris,

Elias G. Minard,	Mary K. Murray,
Harris G. Haviland,	Robert I. Murray,
Reuben H. Underhill,	Eliza M. Dean,
Joshua L. Barton,	Caleb W. Allis,
George D. Hilyard,	Elizabeth C. Ferris,
Jacob Mekeel,	William Thomas Willis,
Edwin J. Meader,	Edgar M. Clark,
William H. Dean,	Joseph Haviland.

BIBLE SCHOOL BOARD.

1895-1898.

Chairman—J. Lindley Spicer,
720 Constable Building, New York.

Secretary—Eliza Heaton Taber,
No. 263 Ryerson Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Treasurer—Arlando Marine,
156 Fifth Avenue, New York.

Purchase—Richard F. Carr.

Cornicall—Maria T. Willis.

Ferrisburg—Eliza M. Dean.

Farmington—George Hull.

Butternuts—Cynthia Adams.

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Scipio—Emily Thomas.

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Ellison R. Purdy, Anna S. Leggett, George D. Hilyard, Jr., Martha H. Bell, Marianna Lane, Mabel Birdsall, Eliza M. Lyon, Mary M. Post, M. Hellenia Nase, James B. Palmer, Phebe E. Mekeel, Charles H. Mobray, Hannah Collins, Augusta Wood, Alfred Busselle, Charles Collins, William C. Taber.

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1895-1898.

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Elizabeth W. Taber,	Sarah E. Busselle,
Samuel B. Wray,	Maria T. Willis,
Phebe Anna Murray,	Hannah B. Wray,
William T. Ferris,	S. Marshall Busselle,
George D. Hilyard, Jr.,	Margaret J. Heaton,
D. Shearman Taber, Jr.,	Anna Brown.

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1893-1896.

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Sarah M. Wetherald,
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 Charles W. Lawrence,
 Chauncey B. Thorne,
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Accepted 1836.

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 George D. Hilyard,

Joshua L. Barton,
 Charles Collins,
 James Wood.

MOSHER FUND.

Received 1875.

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Mary King Murray,
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NEW YORK
QUARTERLY MEETING,
1676-1896.

NEW YORK QUARTERLY MEETING.

ESTABLISHMENT.

This Quarterly Meeting antedates the Yearly Meeting itself, having been established as Westbury Quarterly Meeting in 1676. The name was changed in 1883 and now stands as above.

TIME AND PLACE OF HOLDING.

On Fourth day preceding the last First day at 11 A.M. in First and Seventh months at Twentieth Street Meeting-house, New York.

In Fourth and Tenth months at Brooklyn Meeting-house, corner Washington and Lafayette Avenues, Brooklyn.

Membership, 566.

Clerk:

Robert I. Murray, 409 Broadway, New York.

It includes two Monthly Meetings: NEW YORK and WESTBURY.

1. NEW YORK MONTHLY MEETING.

HISTORIC ITEMS.

The first record found is under date Eighth month, 12th, 1681, of arrangement for First-day meetings in New York City at the house of Robert Story and

for meetings on Fifth day at that of Lewis Morris. In 1682 the meetings were to alternate between Gravesend and New York. In 1683 "Friends thought it convenient to keep the house that the meeting was in at New York another year." In 1684 Patience Story's house was its gathering place. In 1696 a permanent site was selected, John Rodman offering ground free for this purpose and Friends of Flushing contributing liberally to the expense of erecting a building. Isaac Norris, of Philadelphia, advanced money for the completion of a suitable house, but a burden of indebtedness on the account rested upon the New York membership for twenty years.

From an old memorandum the following facts are taken :

"The first meeting-house in New York is supposed to have been erected about the close of the seventeenth century on Little Green Street, near Maiden Lane. About 1750 another house was built on Pearl Street, near Franklin Square. Near the close of the eighteenth century the house on Little Green Street was replaced by a larger one on the same site fronting on Liberty Street. About the year 1819 a house for worship was erected on Hester Street, and that on Pearl Street gave place to stores and dwellings. In 1824 another was built on Rose Street and that on Liberty Street demolished. At the time of the separation in 1828 the Hicksites retained possession of both houses then in use. The Orthodox occupied a building erected for their accommodation in Henry Street, near Market Street, until 1841, when they built a commodious house in Orchard Street, near Hester Street."

In 1859 the Orchard Street house was sold, and on First day, Twelfth month, 18th, 1859, Friends held their meeting for the first time at Twentieth Street house. It was built on lots purchased from David Sands. This meeting-house is still in use. It is No. 144 East Twentieth Street, opposite Gramercy Park.

In this same year, 1859, several families of Friends having removed to Brooklyn, they opened a meeting there. This was first held at Packer Institute, near City Hall, in Eleventh month, 1860. As the life, interest, and attendance of this gathering increased it was decided to build a meeting-house. This was completed in 1868, and Brooklyn Preparative Meeting was established Fifth month, 20th, 1869.

The house stands at the corner of Washington and Lafayette Avenues, Brooklyn, near Elevated Road station at Grand and De Kalb Avenues, and one block from De Kalb Avenue surface cars, twenty minutes' ride from Brooklyn Bridge.

New York Monthly Meeting is held at Twentieth Street, New York, on the first Fourth day of each month, at 3:30 P.M.

Clerk :

Charles W. Lawrence,	227 East 43th Street,
	New York.

Correspondent :

David S. Taber,	45 East 10th Street,
	New York.

Treasurer :

Robert I. Murray,	409 Broadway,
	New York.

Ministers :

J. Lindley Spicer,	111 Fifth Avenue, New York.
James C. Adams,	53 Murray Street, New York.
William P. Hastings,	West New Brighton, Staten Island, New York.
Mary K. Murray,	Flushing, Long Island, N. Y.
Elizabeth G. Underhill,	140 East 14th Street, New York.
Eleanor C. Birdsall,	241 Quincy Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Sarah A. Haydock,	1284 Columbus Avenue, New York.

Elders :

Amelia E. Page,	Upper Montclair, N. J.
Catharine M. Wood,	148 East 44th Street, New York.
Robert W. Lawrence,	42 East 67th Street, New York.
Agnes S. Lawrence,	42 East 67th Street, New York.
J. Howard Yarnall,	1011 Park Avenue, New York.
Stephen R. Post,	323 Produce Exchange, New York.
Harriet L. Underhill,	19 South Elliott Place, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Phebe C. Haviland,	436 Grand Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mary L. Chase,	Sherwoods, Cayuga Co., N. Y.
William C. Taber,	140 Monroe Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Mary S. Kimber,	135 West 30th Street, New York.

This meeting includes two Preparative Meetings:
NEW YORK and BROOKLYN.

NEW YORK PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on the last Fourth day of each month, 10:30 A.M., at Twentieth Street, New York. This meeting is held one week when it falls on the same day that the Quarterly meeting occurs.

Membership, 286.

Clerk:

Samuel B. Wray, 56 East 23d Street,
New York.

BROOKLYN PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on the last Fourth day of each month, 8 P.M., at Brooklyn meeting-house, corner Washington and De Kalb Avenues.

Membership, 243.

Clerk:

Isaac Howland, 1480 Pacific Street,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

2. WESTBURY MONTHLY MEETING.

This locality, first called Wood Edge, was at one time an important centre of Friends' influence. The Yearly

Meeting was held here from 1777 to 1794. At the time of the separation the original meeting-house passed into the hands of the Hicksites and the present smaller house was built for the use of the little company who remained. The Quarterly Meeting was held once a year at Westbury until Tenth month, 1883, from which time it was deemed expedient to hold it alternately in New York and Brooklyn, so it was taken away.

LOCATION.

Westbury meeting-house is at Westbury, Queens County, L. I., on the main road, three-quarters of a mile north of Westbury station on the Long Island Railroad main line. Eight daily trains from New York *via* East 34th Street Ferry, or from Long Island Railroad Depot, Flatbush Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

TIME OF HOLDING.

The Monthly Meeting is held on Fourth day preceding third Fifth day in each month, 11 A.M., at Westbury, as above.

Membership, 37.

Clerk :

Stephen W. Post,

Westbury Station,

Long Island, N. Y.

Correspondent :

John W. Post,

Old Westbury,

Long Island, N. Y.

Treasurer :

Edmund Post,

Westbury Station,

Long Island, N. Y.

Ministers :

Henrietta Titus,	Cleveland, Ohio.
Mary M. Post,	Westbury Station, Long Island, N. Y.

Elders :

William P. Titus,	Old Westbury, Long Island, N. Y.
Martha W. Post,	Westbury Station, Long Island, N. Y.
Stephen W. Post,	Westbury Station, Long Island, N. Y.
Sarah P. Titus,	Cleveland, Ohio.

It includes one meeting, viz.:

WESTBURY PREPARATIVE MEETING,

which is held on Fourth day preceding the second Fifth day in each month, at 11 A.M., at Westbury.

Clerk :

Mary M. Post,	Westbury Station, Long Island, N. Y.
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MEETINGS OF MINISTERS AND ELDERS.

Preparative Meetings held on Second day preceding the first Fourth day in First, Fourth, Seventh, and Tenth months, 3:30 P.M., at Twentieth Street, New York.

Clerk :

Robert W. Lawrence,	42 East 67th Street, New York.
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Quarterly Meetings held on Fourth day preceding last First day, 9:30 A.M., in First and Seventh months

in New York, in Fourth and Tenth months in Brooklyn.

Clerk:

Mary S. Kimber, 135 West 30th Street,
New York.

MEETINGS FOR WORSHIP.

New York—First and Fourth days at 11 A.M. (Exception, first Fourth day in each month at 3:30 P.M.)

Brooklyn—First day at 10:30 A.M.

Fourth day at 8 P.M.

Westbury—First and Fourth days at 11 A.M.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR MEETINGS.

New York—Twentieth Street, Third day at 7:45 P.M.
(During the summer and Ninth month these meetings are held only on the first Third day of each month.)

Brooklyn—Fourth day at 8 P.M.

Fourth day at 7:30 P.M., Junior C. E.

Westbury—First day at 7:30 P.M.

First Fourth day in each month, for business and devotion, at 7:30 P.M.

BIBLE SCHOOLS.

New York—Twenty-First Ward Mission and Industrial School, 305 East 41st Street.

Superintendent—John R. Taber,

348 Lexington Avenue, New York.

First day at 2:45 P.M. from Ninth month 15th to Sixth month 15th.

Fourth day at 8 P.M. Meetings for worship throughout the year.

NEW YORK QUARTERLY MEETING.

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New York—N. Y. Colored Mission, 135 West 30th street.

Dr. J. L. Barton, *President*,

57 East 55th Street, New York.

Charles W. Lawrence, *Superintendent*,

227 East 48th Street, New York.

First day at 3 P M

First and Third days, 8 P.M. Meetings for worship throughout the year.

Brooklyn Meeting-House—First day at 9:15 A M.

Superintendent—William C. Taber,

140 Monroe Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Westbury—At Westbury Lecture Room.

First day at 2:30 P.M.

Superintendent—Mary W. Post.

MISSIONARY MEETINGS.

Home and Foreign Board—

Chairman—Robert M. Ferris Poughkeepsie, N.Y.

Fifth day following first Fourth day of each month, 8 P.M., at private residences by appointment.

Women's Foreign Missionary Association—

President—Agnes S. Lawrence,

42 East 67th Street, New York.

Fourth day of Monthly and Quarterly Meeting days, at 2 P.M., in New York, except when Quarterly Meeting occurs in Brooklyn, then held there. Monthly Meetings omitted during summer months.

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PURCHASE
QUARTERLY MEETING.
1745—1896.

PURCHASE QUARTERLY MEETING.

In 1695 John Harrison and other Friends of Flushing united in buying of the Indians a tract of land in the southern part of the district now included in Westchester County. This tract, bounded on the north by the Rye Ponds, east by Blind Brook, west by Mamaroneck River, and south by lands of Joseph Budd, was called the Purchase, and it is so known to this day. The family of John Clapp emigrated thither in 1705, and others soon followed.

A Monthly Meeting was established and held at Westchester, Fourth month, 9th, 1725. Friends were active and earnest, and the accessions to membership were considerable.

A house was probably built at Mamaroneck in 1708, and this was made a Preparative Meeting in 1728. A second house was built here in 1739 and removed to a central location in 1770.

The Purchase meeting-house was built in 1727 upon land given by Anthony Field. It was enlarged in 1797.

On Third month, 13th, 1742, the Monthly Meeting was held for the first time "at the meeting-house at the Purchase in Rye Woods."

In 1744 we find these Friends applying "for to have a Quarterly Meeting" on the mainland. The Yearly Meeting acceded to their request, and the following Minute records its opening :

"On the 3d of the Sixth month, 1745, was held a Quarterly Meeting at the meeting-house at the Purchase, agreeable to and by the appointment of the Yearly Meeting held at Flushing in the Third month last."

In 1749 it was decided to hold the Quarterly Meeting part of the time at the Oblong.

John Harrison seems to have imparted some of his own large-heartedness to the Friends who shared in the ownership of the Purchase, for in these early records we find their meetings constantly throwing out new shoots, enlarging their borders, planting and nourishing new meetings.

James Wood says: "Each Quaker home as it was settled became a resting place for those who followed, for it was a cardinal principle of Quaker hospitality to keep open house for all fellow-members under all circumstances."

LOCATION OF MEETING-HOUSES.

The present meeting-house at Mamaroneck is in the southern part of Westchester County, a little more than two miles southwest of Mamaroneck station on the New York & New Haven Railroad, thirty-five minutes' ride from Grand Central Depot, 42d Street, New York.

Purchase is five miles north of Rye and Portchester, and four miles east of White Plains on the New York & Harlem Railroad, forty-five minutes' ride from Grand Central Depot, 42d Street, New York.

Chappaqua meeting-house, built in 1883, is on rising ground, commanding a fine view, centrally located on the main village road, half a mile northeast of Chappaqua

station on the New York & Harlem Railroad, forty minutes' ride from Grand Central Depot, as above.

Croton Valley is in the central part of Westchester County, two miles northwest of Mount Kisco on the New York & Harlem Railroad, forty-five minutes' ride from Grand Central Depot, as above. This house was built in 1848.

Yorktown was formerly known as Amawalk Meeting. Name changed in 1882. In 1892 the old meeting-house was torn down and the present new one erected on the same site. It is one-eighth of a mile distant from Yorktown on the New York & Putnam Railroad, in northern part of Westchester, two miles above Croton Lake and thirty seven miles from New York. One hour and a quarter's ride from Elevated Road depot, 155th Street, New York.

Croton meeting-house is situated in the western part of Westchester County, a little northeast of Croton Landing on the Hudson River Railroad, the station next north of Sing Sing. An hour and twenty minutes' ride from Grand Central Depot. This meeting-house is temporarily closed, the meetings, for convenience, being held at present in a school-house two and one-half miles distant on Croton Point.

TIME AND PLACE OF HOLDING PURCHASE QUARTERLY MEETING.

Chappaqua, on Seventh day after the last First day, 11 A.M., in First, Fourth, Seventh, and Eleventh months.

Membership, 274.

Clerk:

Jacob Mekeel,

Yorktown Heights, N. Y.

This Quarterly Meeting includes three Monthly Meetings: PURCHASE, CHAPPAQUA, YORKTOWN.

1. PURCHASE MONTHLY MEETING

is held on Fourth day following first Fifth day in each month, at 11 A.M. It meets at Purchase in First, Third, Fifth, Seventh, Ninth, Eleventh months; at Mamaroneck in the alternate months—namely, Second, Fourth, Sixth, Eighth, Tenth, and Twelfth.

Clerk and Treasurer :

Jonathan H. Carpenter,	Hartsdale,
	Westchester Co., N. Y.

Correspondent :

Benedict J. Carpenter,	White Plains,
	Westchester Co., N. Y.

Ministers :

Richard S. Collins,	Purchase,
	Westchester Co., N. Y.
Benedict J. Carpenter.	White Plains,
	Westchester Co., N. Y.

Elders :

Sarah W. Collins,	Purchase,
	Westchester Co., N. Y.
Hannah Field,	Purchase,
	Westchester Co., N. Y.
Charles Griffin,	Mamaroneck,
	Westchester Co., N. Y.
Lydia A. Griffin,	Mamaroneck,
	Westchester Co., N. Y.

Phebe Jane Carpenter, Hartsdale,
 Westchester Co., N. Y.
Mary T. Carpenter, Hartsdale, .
 Westchester Co., N. Y.

This meeting includes two Preparative Meetings:
PURCHASE and MAMARONECK.

PURCHASE PREPARATIVE MEETING.

Membership, 16.

Clerk :

Richard S. Collins, Purchase,
 Westchester Co., N. Y.

Time of holding :

Purchase, first Fourth day of each month, at 11 A.M.

MAMARONECK PREPARATIVE MEETING.

Membership, 33.

Clerk :

Richard E. Carpenter, Hartsdale,
 Westchester Co., N. Y.

Time of holding :

Mamaroneck, First day after first Fifth day of each
month, 11 A.M.

2. CHAPPAQUA MONTHLY MEETING

is held second Fifth day of each month, 11 A.M., at
Chappaqua

Clerk :

Jesse H. Sutton, Chappaqua, N. Y.

Correspondent :

Robert Haviland, Jr., Chappaqua, N. Y.

Treasurer :

Israel A. Haight, Chappaqua, N. Y.

Ministers :

Henry Wood, Mount Kisco, N. Y.

David H. Lane, Chappaqua, N. Y.

Wilson M. Page, " "

Elders :

Susan Haight, Chappaqua, N. Y.

Jesse H. Underhill, 17 Clinton Place,

Sing Sing, N. Y.

Eliza S. Underhill, 17 Clinton Place,

Sing Sing, N. Y.

Ann P. Hallock, Millwood, N. Y.

Jesse H. Sutton, Chappaqua, N. Y.

Rebecca J. Haviland, " "

Phebe E. Haight, " "

Anna D. Page, " "

Eliza H. Lane, " "

Edward P. Swift, Pleasantville, "

Jane Reynolds, Croton Lake, "

James Wood, Mount Kisco, "

Emily H. Wood, " " "

Carolena M. Wood, " " "

George W. Underhill, " " "

This meeting includes two Preparative Meetings:
CHAPPAQUA and CROTON VALLEY.

CHAPPAQUA PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held first Fifth day of every month, 7:30 P.M., at Chappaqua.

Membership, 97.

Clerk :

Mary Anna Lane,

Chappaqua, N. Y.

CROTON VALLEY PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held Fourth day before first Fifth day in each month, 11 A.M., at Croton Valley.

Membership, 37.

Clerk :

Augusta Clark,

Croton Valley, N. Y.

3. YORKTOWN MONTHLY MEETING

is held second Sixth day in each month, 11 A.M., at Yorktown.

Clerk and Correspondent :

Jacob Mekeel,

Yorktown Heights, N. Y.

Treasurer :

Henry H. Underhill,

Croton-on-the-Hudson,

N. Y.

Minister :

Belle Harrington,

Yorktown Heights, N. Y.

Elders :

Abby W. Underhill,

Croton-on-the-Hudson,

N. Y.

Phebe J. Talcott,

Croton-on-the-Hudson,

N. Y.

Jacob Mekeel,	Yorktown Heights, N. Y.
Mary Jane Mekeel,	“ “
George W. Shipley,	Peekskill, N. Y.
Hannah M. Shipley,	“ “
Benjamin T. Allison,	“ “
Philena Hallock,	Yorktown Heights, N. Y.

This meeting includes two Preparative Meetings:
YORKTOWN and CROTON.

YORKTOWN PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on Fourth day before the first Sixth day in each month, at 7:30 P.M., at Yorktown.

Membership, 60.

Clerk :

Edward B. Kear, Yorktown Heights, N. Y.

CROTON PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held Fifth day preceding first Sixth day in each month, 8 P.M., at Croton Point.

Membership, 31.

Clerk :

Elizabeth Underhill, Croton-on-the-Hudson,
N. Y.

MEETINGS OF MINISTERS AND ELDERS.

Preparative—Fourth day following first Fifth day, at close of Monthly meeting, in First, Seventh, and Eleventh months at Purchase

In Fourth month as above at Mamaroneck.

Clerk—Charles Griffin, Mamaroneck, N. Y.

Second Fifth day in First, Fourth, Seventh, and Tenth months 10 A.M., at Chappaqua.

Clerk—Eliza H. Lane, Chappaqua, N. Y.

Second Sixth day in First, Fourth, Seventh, and Tenth months, at close of Monthly Meeting, in Yorktown.

Clerk—Jacob Mekeel, Yorktown Heights, N. Y.

Quarterly—Sixth day after last First day in First, Fourth, Seventh, and Eleventh months, 2 P.M., at Chappaqua.

Clerk—Anna D. Page, Chappaqua, N. Y.

MEETINGS FOR WORSHIP.

Purchase—First day and Fourth day, 11 A.M.

White Plains Mission—First day, 11 A.M.

Mamaroneck—First day, 11 A.M.

Chappaqua—First day and Fifth day, 11 A.M.

Croton Valley—First day and Fourth day, 11 A.M.

Yorktown—First day and Fourth day, 11 A.M. and 7:30 P.M. winter, 8 P.M. summer.

Croton Point—First day 11 A.M. and Fifth day 8 P.M.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR MEETINGS.

Mamaroneck—Monthly Meetings Christian Endeavor and Missionary.

Chappaqua—First day, 6:30 P.M.

Yorktown—First day, 7 P.M.

BIBLE SCHOOLS.

Mamaroneck—First day, 10:30 A.M.

Superintendent—Richard E. Carpenter,
Hartsdale, N. Y.

Chappaqua—First day, 10 A.M.

Superintendent—Edward P. Swift, M.D.,
Pleasantville, N. Y.

Croton Valley—First day, 10 A.M. Held at meeting-house in summer; at James Wood's, near Mount Kisco, in winter.

Superintendent—James Wood,
Mount Kisco, N. Y.

Yorktown—First day, 11 A.M.

Superintendent—Jacob Mekeel,
Yorktown Heights, N. Y.

Croton Point—First day, 2:30 P.M.

Superintendent—Elizabeth Underhill,
Croton on-the-Hudson, N. Y.

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NINE PARTNERS
QUARTERLY MEETING,
1783—1896.

NINE PARTNERS QUARTERLY MEETING.

James Wood says: "The first settlement of any great numbers north of Harrison's Purchase was at the Oblong, in the present town of Pawling, in Dutchess County. A meeting-house was built there in 1741, a Preparative Meeting established in 1742, and a Monthly Meeting for it and the adjacent meetings in 1744."

In 1783 Purchase Quarterly Meeting was divided and that of Nine Partners set up. This at first included Nine Partners, The Creek, East Hoosack, and Saratoga Monthly Meetings, but Saratoga was set off the same year; in 1800 Stanford and in 1812 Cornwall Quarterly Meetings were established. Nine Partners then included Oblong, Nine Partners, and Oswego Monthly Meetings. In a later rearrangement in 1867 Stanford became again a Monthly Meeting and was joined to Nine Partners Quarter.

In the early records of the Yearly Meeting, Friends of this section figure prominently. They were among the leading spirits of their day in the cause of Truth.

A Friend resident at Quaker Hill has kindly furnished the following information:

"The Oblong" is a tract of land which was given by the State of Connecticut to the State of New York in exchange for certain land on Long Island Sound. It

extends from the Ridgefield Angle, so-called, in Westchester County, to the northern boundary of Connecticut. It is one mile two hundred and sixty rods wide, and thus includes Quaker Hill.

"Quaker Hill is a ridge lying in the east portion of the town of Pawling. It is about seven miles long north and south and from one to two miles wide. Its highest point is about twelve hundred feet above sea level."

All along this ridge extend the houses once occupied by the Friends. The old meeting-house, which was used as a barracks by the soldiers in the Revolutionary war, is still standing, but our Friends now occupy a more recent building on an adjacent lot.

New Milford, over the Connecticut line in Litchfield County, seven miles east of Quaker Hill, in a pleasant farming country, is full of interesting associations. This meeting is mentioned in 1739, but had evidently been established at an earlier date. Hither came, to cast in their lots with the despised and persecuted people of the Lord, David Ferris in 1727, and eleven years later Nathan, the son of Governor Talcott of Connecticut.

Ten miles further north in Dutchess County, Joseph Caustin and eight other individuals purchased a large tract of land, which was called the Nine Partners. Here a meeting was established regularly in 1742. This was made a Preparative Meeting in 1745 and become a Monthly Meeting in 1769. The growth and prosperity of this meeting was closely identified with that of the Boarding School which, through the efforts of Joseph Talcott and other Friends, was established in 1793 under the care of the Yearly Meeting. This

school was for more than half a century a centre of beneficent influence in the Society. The old house has been torn down, the meeting removed; only the quiet graves on the hillside remain in memorial of past days. In 1882 a good house in more convenient situation at Mill Brook was built and is now in use.

"Oswego Meeting in Dutchess County was established in 1750, that in Samuel Fields' neighborhood in 1760, that at Poughquaque in Beekmantown in 1773, and that at The Creek in 1775. A new meeting was set up at Crum Elbow, in Hyde Park, in 1783." That old house is still standing. There were eight meeting-houses within the limits of Nine Partners Quarterly Meeting in 1825. These all passed out of the hands of our Friends during that sorrowful period, except that at La Grange, or Arthursburg, which we still occupy.

A small building on Mill Street, near Garden Street, Poughkeepsie, sufficed for the use of the small remnant who gathered there, until, with the revived interest of later years, in 1862 the present comely and commodious edifice was built and has since been occupied by Friends.

In 1777 Henry Hull arrived with his father's family at Stanford. They found the surrounding country wild and uncultivated, the settlers rustics of rough manners. Friends held their meetings at Stanford and The Creek in log houses of primitive construction, but these gatherings were held so much in the power of the Lord that the turbulent spirits yielded to the gentle, subduing influence felt in them. Benjamin and Paul Hoag, Paul and Phebe Upton, and Henry Hull himself were among these devoted pioneer workers. The log-

house soon became inadequate for the numbers who assembled, and the stone meeting house which is still standing at The Creek was built. In 1788 this house was frequently crowded. The large old meeting-house at Stanfordville where Henry Hull used to preach is also still standing, encircled by grand old trees, but it has passed out of the hands of Friends.

PRESENT LOCATION OF MEETING-HOUSES.

One on Quaker Hill, near Pawling station, New York & Harlem Railroad, one and three-quarter hours' ride from Grand Central Depot, 42d Street, New York.

That at Mill Brook is in the village, half a mile distant from the Mill Brook railroad station on Dutchess & Columbia Railroad, which connects at Dutchess Junction with Hudson River Railroad. Mill Brook is sixteen miles east of Poughkeepsie.

Poughkeepsie meeting-house is in the northeast part of the town, on Montgomery Street, near Hamilton, twenty minutes' ride from Hudson River Railroad station, which is two and three-quarter hours' ride from Grand Central Depot, 42d Street, New York.

Arthursburg is eleven miles from Poughkeepsie, on the Newburgh, Dutchess & Connecticut Railroad, sixteen miles from its junction with Hudson River Railroad.

Clinton Corners and Stanfordville are stations on the Poughkeepsie & Eastern Railroad. Clinton Corners is thirteen miles northeast of Poughkeepsie, forty minutes' ride by train; Stanfordville, sixteen miles in same direction, fifty minutes' ride. Both meeting houses within half-mile of station.

NINE PARTNERS QUARTERLY MEETING

is held on Fifth day after first First day, at 11 A.M., in Second month at Mill Brook; in Fifth month at Poughkeepsie; in Eighth month at Quaker Hill; in Eleventh month at Clinton Corners, all in Dutchess County.

Membership, 499.

Clerk:

William H. Osborn,

Pawling,

Dutchess County, N. Y.

It includes four Monthly Meetings: OBLONG, NINE PARTNERS, POUGHKEEPSIE, STANFORD.

1. OBLONG MONTHLY MEETING

is held on Second day preceding third Fifth day, at 11 A.M. in each month at Quaker Hill, except in Fifth and Eighth months when it is held at New Milford, Conn. No Preparative Meeting.

Membership, 38.

Clerk:

William P. Osborn,

Quaker Hill, N. Y.

Correspondent and Treasurer:

Richard T. Osborn,

Quaker Hill, N. Y.

Minister:

None.

Elders.

Richard T. Osborn,

Quaker Hill, N. Y.

Roby Osborn,

" " "

Olive Hoag,

" " "



Robert Post,	Quaker Hill, N. Y.
Betsey Post,	“ “ “
William H. Osborn,	“ “ “
Eliza H. Osborn,	“ “ “

2. NINE PARTNERS MONTHLY MEETING

is held on the third Fifth day of each month, 11 A.M.,
at Mill Brook. No Preparative Meeting.

Membership, 95.

Clerk:

Abram Birdsall,	Mill Brook, N. Y.
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Correspondent:

Nathan G. Swift,	“ “ “
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Treasurer:

Etta Griffin,	“ “ “
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Ministers:

Rhoda A. Swift,	“ “ “
Henry H. Swift,	“ “ “
Albert F. Swift,	“ “ “

Elders:

Maria A. Haviland,	“ “ “
Richard T. Swift,	“ “ “
Abraham Y. Birdsall,	“ “ “
Elizabeth H. Birdsall,	“ “ “
Nathan G. Swift,	“ “ “

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3. POUGHKEEPSIE MONTHLY MEETING

is held on Fourth day before third Fifth day of each month, 11 A.M., at Poughkeepsie, except in Fifth and Ninth months when it is held at Arthursburg.

Clerk:

Jonathan Dickinson, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Correspondent:

Mary E. Haviland, Box 45, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Treasurer:

Walter F. Tabor, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Ministers:

Mary Moore, " "

Elmer D. Gildersleeve, " "

Fernando G. Cartland, " "

Elders:

Ruth C. Flagler, 121 Academy Street,
Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Anna W. Dickinson, 247 Church Street,
Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Daniel O. Lawrence, 127 Cannon Street,
Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Mary E. Haviland, Box 45, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Anna C. Bedell, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Mary H. Bedell, 55 S. Hamilton Street,
Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

John S. Wing, Arlington, N. Y.

Mary M. Wing, " "

Catharine McCormick, Hooker Avenue,
Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Elizabeth C. Ferris,	Poughkeepsie, N. Y.
Julia A. Flagler,	Overlook, N. Y.
Isaac D. Osborn,	Arthursburg, N. Y.

This meeting includes two Preparative Meetings:
POUGHKEEPSIE and LA GRANGE.

POUGHKEEPSIE PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on Fifth day after second Fourth day in each month, in the evening after prayer meeting, at Poughkeepsie.

Membership, 214

Clerk:

Alfred Cartland,	Poughkeepsie, N. Y.
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LA GRANGE PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held second Fourth day of each month, 11 A.M., at Arthursburg.

Membership, 36.

Clerk:

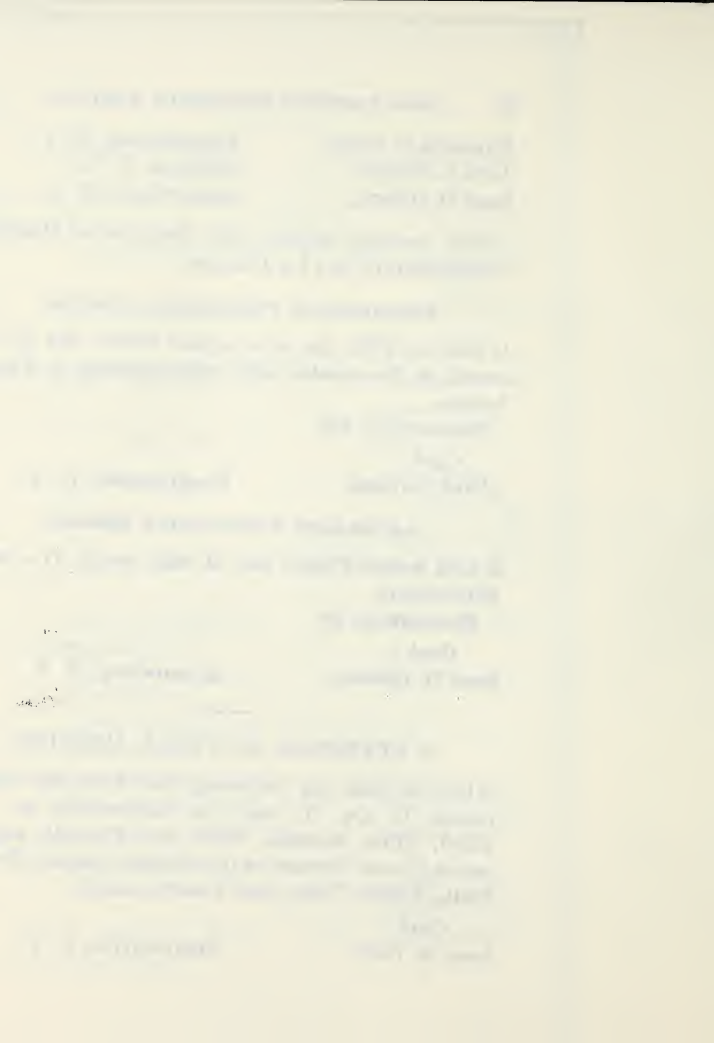
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4. STANFORD MONTHLY MEETING

is held on Sixth day following third First day in each month, 11 A.M. It meets at Stanfordville on First, Third, Fifth, Seventh, Ninth, and Eleventh months, and at Clinton Corners on the alternate, Second, Fourth, Sixth, Eighth, Tenth, and Twelfth months.

Clerk:

Isaac R. Post,	Stanfordville, N. Y.
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Correspondent and Treasurer :

Levi Arnold, Stanfordville, N. Y.

Ministers :

Thomas C. Sprague, Stanfordville, N. Y.

Rachel Sprague, " "

Elders :

George S. Deuell, Bangall, N. Y.

Amy H. Arnold, Stanfordville, N. Y.

Mary L. Post, " "

Isaac R. Post, " "

Egbert S. Bedell, Clinton Corners, N. Y.

Sarah M. Upton, " " "

Charles Hicks, " " "

This meeting includes two Preparative Meetings:
STANFORD and CLINTON CORNERS.

STANFORD PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on Fifth day following second First day of each month, 7:30 P.M., at Stanfordville.

Membership, 56.

Clerk :

Maria L. Deuell, Bangall, N. Y.

CLINTON CORNERS PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on Fifth day following second First day in each month, 7:30 P.M., at Clinton Corners.

Membership, 60.

Clerk :

William M. Birdsall, Salt Point, Dutchess Co., N. Y.



MEETINGS OF MINISTERS AND ELDERS.

Preparative—Oblong on Seventh day preceding third Fifth day in First, Fourth, Seventh, and Tenth months, 11 A.M.

Clerk—Richard T. Osborn, Quaker Hill, N. Y.

Nine Partners on third Fifth day of First, Fourth, Seventh, and Tenth months, 10 A.M.

Clerk—Nathan G. Swift, Mill Brook, N. Y.

Poughkeepsie on Fourth day before third Fifth day in First, Fourth, Seventh, and Tenth months, 10 A.M.

Clerk—Anna W. Dickinson, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Stanford on Sixth day following third First day in First and Seventh months, 10 A.M.

Clinton Corners on same days in Fourth and Tenth months.

Clerk—Isaac R. Post, Stanfordville, N. Y.

Quarterly—Mill Brook on Fourth day after first First day in Second month, 2 P.M.

Poughkeepsie on same day in Fifth month.

Quaker Hill on same day in Eighth month.

Clinton Corners on same day in Eleventh month.

Clerk—Isaac R. Post, Stanfordville, N. Y.

MEETINGS FOR WORSHIP.

Quaker Hill—First day and Fourth day at 11 A.M.

Mill Brook—First day at 11 A.M. and 7:30 P.M.

Fifth day at 11 A.M.

Little Rest Mission—First day at 2:30 P.M.

Fourth day at 7:30 P.M.



Poughkeepsie, First day and Fourth day at 11 A.M.

Fifth day at 7:30 P.M.

Arthursburg—First day at 11 A.M.

Stanfordville—First day at 11 A.M. and 7:30 P.M.

Fifth day at 7:30 P.M.

Clinton Corners—First day at 11 A.M. and 7:30 P.M.

Fifth day at 7:30 P.M.

Meeting for Worship also held on Sixth day at
10 A.M., after each Quarterly Meeting.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR MEETINGS.

Quaker Hill—Friends join in Union work.

Poughkeepsie—First day at 7:30 P.M., and on second

Third day in each month, 7:30 P.M.

Mission meetings held quarterly, on the 3d of the
month, at the meeting-house.

Stanfordville—First day, before evening meeting.

Clinton Corners—Same time.

BIBLE SCHOOLS.

Quaker Hill—First day at 9:45 A.M. from Fifth month
to Eleventh month, and 1:30 P.M. from Eleventh
month to Fifth month.

Superintendent—Warren H. Wilson,

Quaker Hill, N. Y.

New Milford—First day, 3 P.M.

Superintendent—W. G. Green,

New Milford, Conn.

Mill Brook—First day at 10 A.M.

Superintendent—Henry H. Swift.

Little Rest*—First day at 3:15 P.M.

Superintendent—Daniel Griffen, Mill Brook, N. Y.

Shun Pike*—First day at 3:30 P.M. (summer).

Superintendent—Clayton Olivet,
Mill Brook, N. Y.

Poughkeepsie—First day at 9:30 A.M.

Superintendent—Robert M. Ferris,
Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Arthursburg—First day at 9:30 A.M.

Superintendent—Isaac D. Osborn,
Arthursburg, N. Y.

Stanfordville—First day at 10 A.M.

Superintendent—Isaac R. Post,
Stanfordville, N. Y.

Clinton Corners—First day at 10 A.M.

Superintendent—William P. Leggett,
Salt Point, N. Y.

* NOTE.—Little Rest is in Dutchess County, about two and one-half miles south of Mill Brook by wagon road.

Shun Pike is the next station north of Mill Brook, five miles distant, on Dutchess & Columbia Railroad.



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CORNWALL
QUARTERLY MEETING,
1816-1896.

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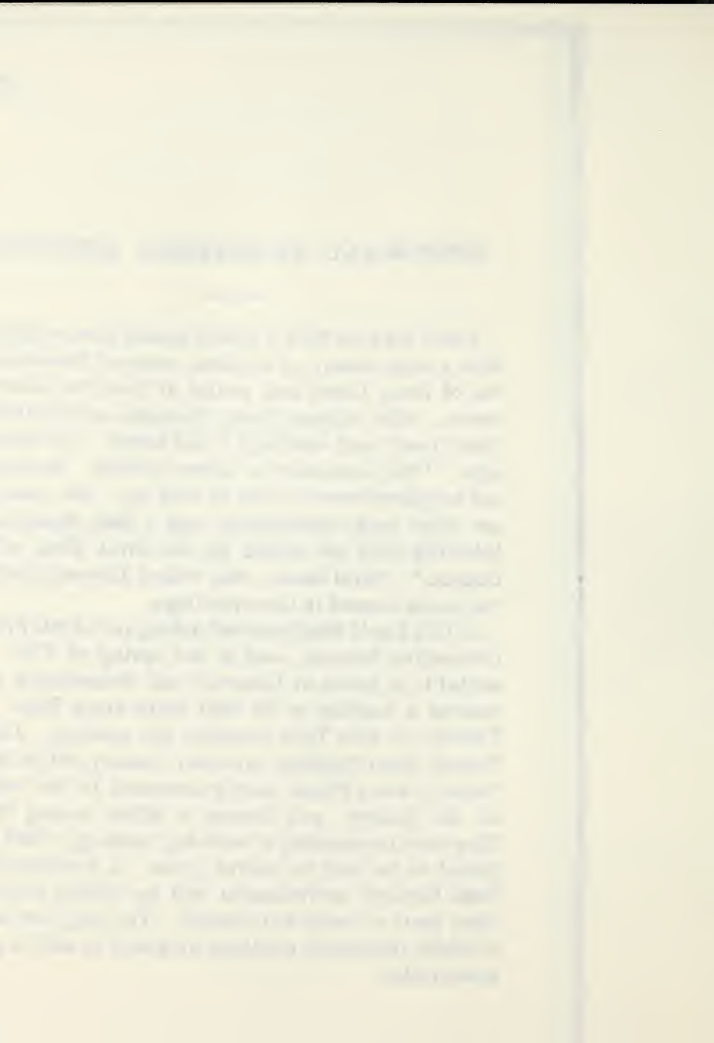
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CORNWALL QUARTERLY MEETING.

About the year 1766 a Friend named Edward Hallock with a large family of children removed from the east end of Long Island and settled at New Marlborough, twelve miles distant from Cornwall-on-the-Hudson. This Friend held meetings in his house. Of these he says: "We commence at eleven o'clock. Sometimes our neighbors come in and sit with us. Our meetings are often very comfortable, and I feel thankful in believing they are owned by the Great Head of the Church." David Sands, who visited Edward Hallock, was much blessed in these meetings.

In 1771 David Sands married a daughter of this Friend, Clementine Hallock, and in the spring of 1772 they settled in a house at Cornwall and immediately commenced a meeting to be held there every First day. Friends of New York attended the opening. Joseph Thorne, from Flushing, who had recently settled in the vicinity, was a Friend deeply interested in the welfare of the Society, and became a pillar among them. They soon commenced a week-day meeting, which continued to be held for eleven years. A number joined them through conviction and by coming from various parts to settle at Cornwall. The long, low house in which these early meetings were held is still in good preservation.



Cornwall Quarterly Meeting was established in 1816, consisting of Cornwall and Marlborough Monthly Meetings, set off from Nine Partners.

LOCATION.

This Quarterly Meeting extends through parts of Ulster and Orange counties. Cornwall meeting-house stands in Canterbury village, in the eastern part of Orange County. It is two miles inland, south of Cornwall Landing-on-the-Hudson, a station on the West Shore Railroad about two hours' ride to Weehawken, thence by ferry to West Forty-second Street, New York.

At Cornwall Landing a meeting has recently been reopened in a chapel donated for the purpose by S. E. Loder.

The house at Highland Mills was built a year or two ago, and the meeting was at that time removed to its present central location in the village. It is ten miles south of Cornwall Landing, and one-half mile east of Highland Mills station on the Erie Short-Cut, which connects at Newburg with West Shore Railroad, thence to Weehawken Ferry, West Forty-second Street, two hours distant from New York.

The Valley meeting-house is near Plattekill, in the southeastern part of Ulster County, six miles south of Clintondale. It is three miles distant from Modena on the Poughkeepsie & Boston Railroad, and nine miles northwest of Newburg on the West Shore Railroad. The old house has recently been thoroughly renovated.

At Unionville meetings have recently been opened in a good meeting-house owned by Friends.

Unionville is three miles east of the Valley meeting, six or seven miles from the West Shore Railroad station.



Milton is in Ulster County, on the west bank of the Hudson—a station of the West Shore Railroad two and one-quarter hours' ride from New York. The meeting-house is in the centre of the village on the main street.

Rosendale is ten miles north of Clintondale. It is a station on the Wallkill Valley Railroad, about eight miles from Kingston-on-the-Hudson. This meeting was for many years closed and given up; it has of late been reopened, and the old house has been fitted over anew and is now a very neat structure. There have been five meeting-houses built and three remodelled within Cornwall Quarter in the last eight or nine years.

Butterville is high among the hills, four or five miles west of New Paltz on the Wallkill Valley Railroad. The meeting-house is only two or three miles from Lake Mohonk.

Clintondale is in Ulster County, five miles northwest of Milton. It is a station on the Poughkeepsie & Boston Railroad. The meeting-house is in the centre of the village.

CORNWALL QUARTERLY MEETING

is held on Fifth day preceding next to last First day, 11 A.M., in First month at the Valley, Fourth month at Cornwall, Seventh month at Clintondale, Tenth month at Milton.

Membership, 702.

Clerk:

Edgar M. Clark,

Milton, Ulster Co., N. Y.

This meeting includes two Monthly Meetings: CORNWALL and MARLBORO.

1. CORNWALL MONTHLY MEETING

is held on Sixth day following fourth Fifth day in each month at 11 A.M. It meets at Cornwall in First, Third, Fifth, Seventh, Ninth, and Eleventh months, and at Highland Mills in the alternate Second, Fourth, Sixth, Eighth, Tenth, and Twelfth months.

Clerk:

Henry R. Hunter, Cornwall, N. Y.

Correspondent:

Hannah M. Isaacs, Cornwall Landing, N. Y.

Ministers:

Hannah M. Isaacs, Cornwall Landing, N. Y.

Henry R. Hunter, Cornwall, N. Y.

Edgar L. Regna, Jr., (in Indiana).

Albert Cornell, Monkton Ridge, Vt.

Elders:

William Isaacs, Cornwall Landing, N. Y.

Hannah S. Hunter, Cornwall, N. Y.

Esther Mailler, " "

Charles Sutherland, Highland Mills, N. Y.

This Monthly includes two Preparative Meetings:
CORNWALL and HIGHLAND MILLS.

CORNWALL PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on Fifth day preceding the fourth Sixth day of each month, 7:30 P.M., at Cornwall.

Membership, 34.

Clerk and Treasurer:

Jennie Clark, Cornwall Landing, N. Y.

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HIGHLAND MILLS PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held third Seventh day of each month at Highland Mills, 8 P.M.

Membership, 63.

Clerk and Treasurer:

Albert J. Legg,

Highland Mills, N. Y.

2. MARLBORO MONTHLY MEETING

is held on Fourth day preceding fourth Fifth day of each month, at 11 A.M. It meets in Milton in First, Fourth, Seventh, and Tenth months; at Clintondale in Second, Fifth, Eighth, and Eleventh months; at the Valley in Third, Sixth, Ninth, and Twelfth months.

Clerk:

John Weaver,

Clintondale, N. Y.

Correspondent:

George W. Hallock,

Milton, N. Y.

Treasurer:

A. E. Bell,

Milton, N. Y.

Ministers:

Samuel Birdsall,

Plattekill, N. Y.

Cornelius D. Barnes,

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James D. Wood,

Clintondale, “

William Thomas Willis,

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Stephen Taber,

Milton, “

Henry R. Keates,

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Samuel S. Taber,

Clintondale, “

Perrin Reynolds,

Rosendale, “

Elders:

James H. Coutant,	Ardonia, N. Y.
Clementine S. Coutant,	" "
James B. Palmer,	Plattekill, "
Helen Palmer,	" "
Albert Birdsall,	" "
Elias G. Minard,	Highland Mills, N. Y.
Mary E. Minard,	" " "
Martha J. Carruth,	Milton, N. Y.
Winslow M. Bell,	" "
Bessie H. Bell,	" "
Arthur E. Bell,	" "
Martha H. Bell,	" "
Edgar M. Clarke,	" "
Caroline H. Clarke,	" "
James Birdsall,	Plattekill, N. Y.
Esther Brown,	Leptondale, "
Elizabeth Higgins,	Plattekill, "
Thomas W. Birdsall,	East Coldenham, N. Y.
Catherine Birdsall,	" " "
Nancy Cornell,	Clintondale, N. Y.
Martha Heaton,	" "
Alpha J. Heaton,	" "
Maria T. Willis,	" "
William Carpenter,	Milton, "
Ann Carpenter,	" "
William C. Minard,	New Paltz, "
William F. Minard,	" "
Stephen Frost,	" "

This meeting includes five Preparative Meetings:
VALLEY, CLINTONDALE, MILTON, ROSENDALE, BUTTER-
VILLE.



VALLEY PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held third Fifth day of each month, 10:30 A.M., at the Valley.

Membership, 190.

Clerk:

Esther Brown,

Leptondale, N. Y.

CLINTONDALE PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on Fourth day before the third Fifth day in each month, 7:30 P.M., at Clintondale.

Membership, 206.

Clerk:

Charles E. Cornell,

Clintondale, N. Y.

MILTON PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on third Fifth day of each month, 7:30 P.M., at Milton.

Membership, 121.

Clerk:

A. E. Bell,

Milton, N. Y.

ROSENDALE PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on third Fifth day in each month at Rosendale. after Prayer Meeting, 8:30 P.M.

Membership, 54.

Clerk:

Lottie Coutant,

Rosendale, N. Y.

BUTTERVILLE PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on third Fourth day in each month at Butter-



ville, 7:30 P.M., except in Quarterly Meeting week, then it is held on second Fourth day of the month.

Membership, 34.

Clerk :

W C. Minard,

New Paltz, N. Y.

MEETINGS OF MINISTERS AND ELDERS.

Preparative—Cornwall on Sixth day following fourth Fifth day in Third and Ninth months, 10 A.M.
Highland Mills on same day in Sixth and Twelfth months.

Clerk—Henry R. Hunter, Cornwall, N. Y.

Clintondale on third Seventh day in Third, Sixth, Ninth, and Twelfth months, 2 P.M.

Clerk—James H. Coutant, Ardonia, N. Y.

Quarterly—Fourth day preceding next to last First day, 2 P.M.

At the Valley in First month.

At Cornwall in Fourth month.

At Clintondale in Seventh month.

At Milton in Tenth month.

Clerk—Caroline H. Clark, Milton, N. Y.

MEETINGS FOR WORSHIP.

Cornwall—First day at 11 A.M.

Fifth day at 7:30 P.M.

Cornwall Landing—First day at 7:30 P.M.

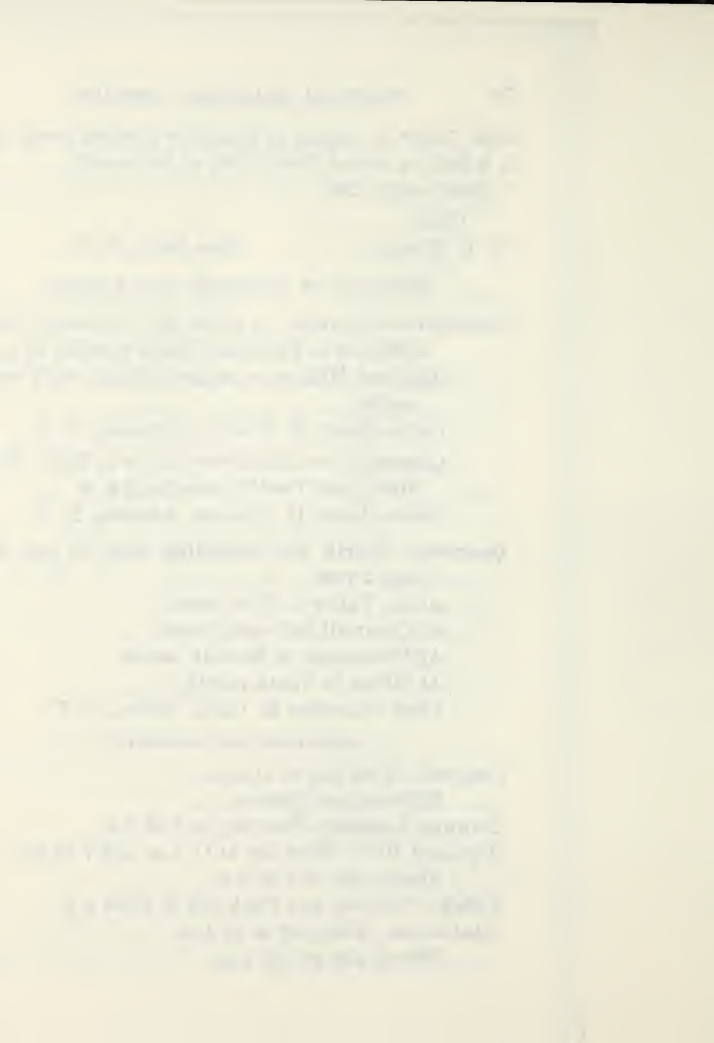
Highland Mills—First day at 11 A.M. and 7:45 P.M.

Fourth day at 7:45 P.M.

Valley—First day and Fifth day at 10:30 A.M.

Clintondale—First day at 11 A.M.

Fourth day at 7:30 P.M.



Milton—First day at 11 A.M.

Fifth day at 7:30 P.M.

Rosendale Plains—First day at 3 P.M. and 7:30 P.M.

Fifth day at 7:30 P.M.

Butterville—First day at 10 A.M. and 7:30 P.M.

Fourth day at 7:30 P.M.

Unionville—First day at 3 P.M.

Fourth day at 7:30 P.M.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR MEETINGS.

Highland Mills—First day at 7 P.M.

Valley—First day at 7:30 P.M.

Clintondale—Third day at 7:30 P.M.

Milton—First day at 7:30 P.M.

Butterville—First day at 7:30 P.M.

BIBLE SCHOOLS.

Cornwall—Bible Class on First day at 10 A.M.

No acting Superintendent.

Highland Mills—First day at 10 A.M.

Superintendent—Albert J. Legg,

Highland Mills, N. Y.

Valley—First day at 10 A.M.

Superintendent—John Minard, Plattekill, N. Y.

Clintondale—First day at 10 A.M.

Superintendent—Charles Mowbray,

Clintondale, N. Y.

Milton—First day at 10 A.M.

Superintendent—A. E. Bell, Milton, N. Y.

Rosendale Plains—First day at 3 P.M.

Superintendent—Sophronia E. Reynolds,

Rosendale, N. Y.

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Butterville—First day at 11 A.M.

Superintendent—William C. Minard,
New Paltz, N. Y.

Unionville—First day at 2 P.M.

Superintendent—Samuel R. Dunn,
Plattekill, Ulster Co., N. Y.



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GLENS FALLS
QUARTERLY MEETING,
1793—1896.

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GLENS FALLS QUARTERLY MEETING.

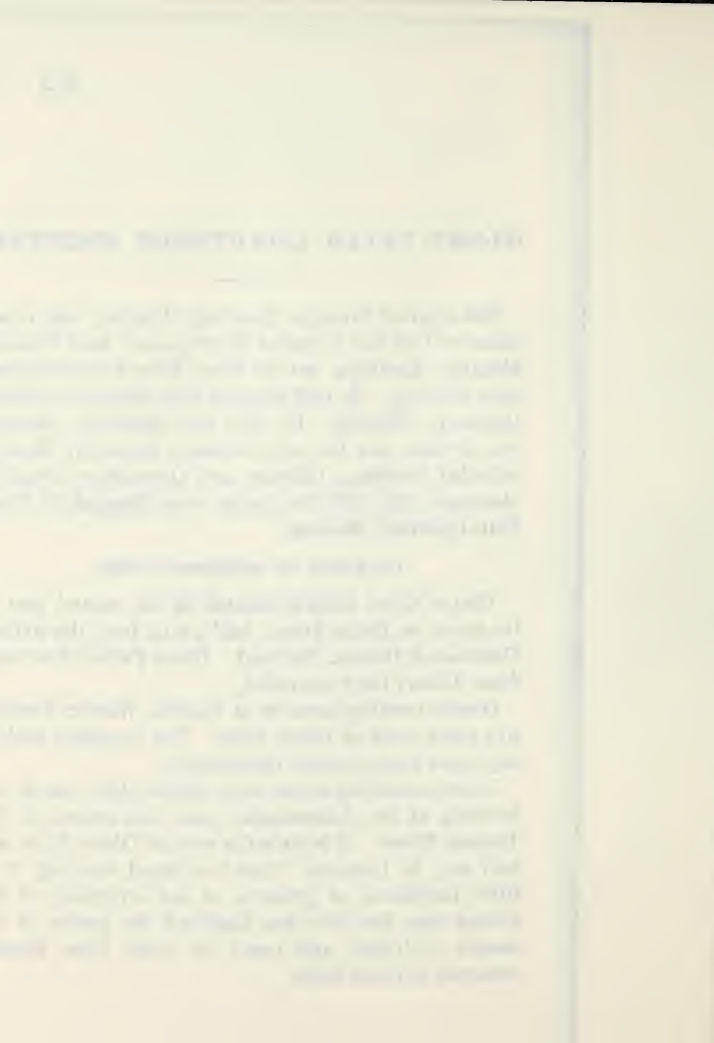
The original Saratoga Quarterly Meeting was established in 1793 and included Saratoga and East Hoosack Monthly Meetings, set off from Nine Partners Quarterly Meeting. In 1795 the title was changed to Easton Quarterly Meeting. In 1815 the Quarterly Meeting was divided, and the new Saratoga Quarterly Meeting included Saratoga, Galway, and Queensbury Monthly Meetings. In 1878 the name was changed to Glens Falls Quarterly Meeting.

LOCATION OF MEETING-HOUSES.

That of Glens Falls is situated in the central part of the town, on Ridge Street, half a mile from the station, Delaware & Hudson Railroad. Glens Falls is due north from Albany forty-six miles.

Oneida meeting-house is at Oneida, Warren County, five miles north of Glens Falls. The township including Glens Falls is called Queensbury.

Luzerne meeting-house is on Hudson Hill, one of the foothills of the Adirondacks, near the source of the Hudson River. It is six miles west of Glens Falls and half-way to Luzerne. This is a small meeting, with little likelihood of growth, as the stripping of the timber from the hills has deprived the people of the means of living, and many of them have already removed to Glens Falls.



Moreau meeting-house is in Saratoga County, two miles north of Gansevoort station on the Delaware & Hudson Railroad, thirty-five miles north of Albany.

That at South Glens Falls is across the Hudson, one-half mile south of Glens Falls station on the Fort Edward & Lake George Branch of the Delaware & Hudson Railroad.

That at Fort Edward Centre is in Washington County, near Fort Edward station on this same branch railroad. It is five miles southeast of Glens Falls.

GLENS FALLS QUARTERLY MEETING

is held on Seventh day preceding the third First day in Second, Fifth, and Eleventh months, and on Seventh day preceding the fourth First day in Eighth month, at 10:30 A.M., at Glens Falls.

Membership, 442.

Clerk:

Charles R. Mott,

Glens Falls,

Warren Co., N. Y.

This meeting includes two Monthly Meetings: GLENS FALLS and MOREAU.

1. GLENS FALLS MONTHLY MEETING

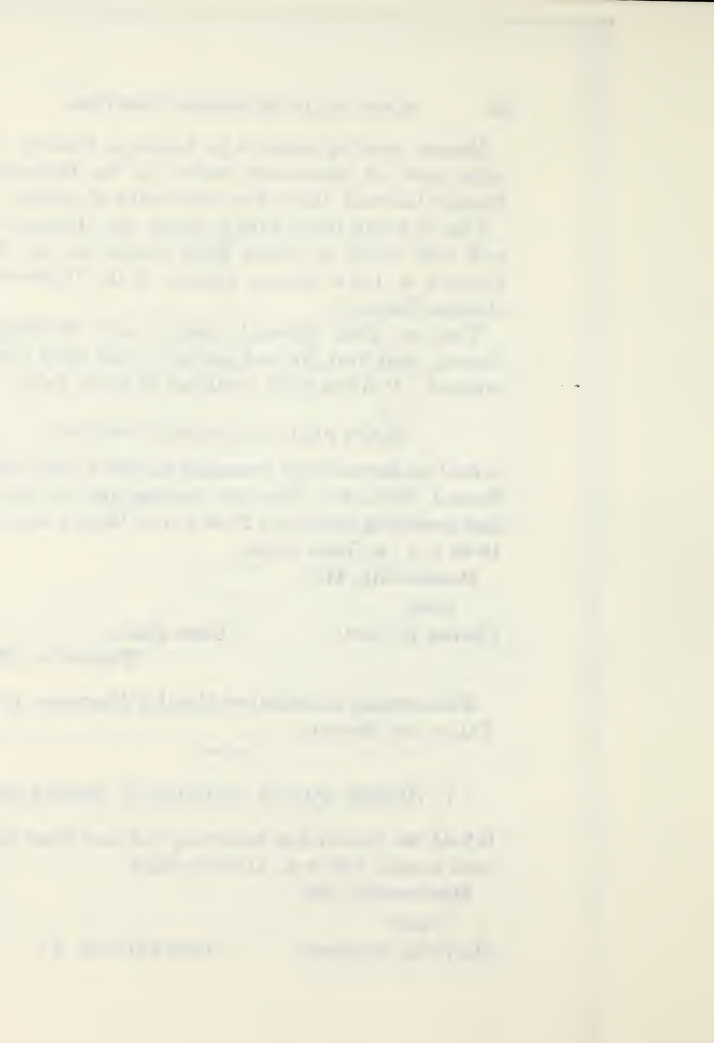
is held on Fourth day following the last First day in each month, 7:30 P.M., at Glens Falls.

Membership, 295.

Clerk:

Harris G. Haviland,

Glens Falls, N. Y.



Correspondent:

Charles R. Eddy, Glens Falls, N. Y.

Treasurer:

Charles Scales, Glens Falls, N. Y.

Ministers:

Mary A. Haviland, Glens Falls, N. Y.

Francis H. Pierce, Chestertown, N. Y.

Elders:

Stephen T. Birdsall, Glens Falls, N. Y.

S. Josephine Birdsall, " " "

Willis J. Haviland, " " "

Arabella W. Haviland, " " "

William J. Scales, " " "

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George N. Sweet, " " "

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2. MOREAU MONTHLY MEETING

is held on Fifth day following the last First day in each month, at 2 P.M. It meets at South Glens Falls in First, Third, Fifth, Seventh, Ninth, and Eleventh months, and at Moreau in alternate months, Second, Fourth, Sixth, Eighth, Tenth, and Twelfth.

Membership: Moreau,	36	} 147.
South Glens Falls,	50	
Fort Edward Centre,	61	

Clerk:

A. Willis De Voll,	Gansevoort,
	Saratoga Co., N. Y.

Correspondent:

I. J. Carey,	Gansevoort,
	Saratoga Co., N. Y.

Treasurer:

Arthur Carey,	Gansevoort,
	Saratoga Co., N. Y.

Minister:

(Deceased.)

Elders:

George S. Carey,	Gansevoort,		
	Saratoga Co., N. Y.		
Anna Carey,	Gansevoort,		
	Saratoga Co., N. Y.		
Ann Eliza Haviland,	Gansevoort,		
	Saratoga Co., N. Y.		
Mary B. Mott,	South Glens Falls,	N. Y.	
Charles Robinson,	"	"	"
Maria Robinson,	"	"	"
Albert Robinson,	"	"	"
Nellie G. Haviland,	"	"	"

No Preparative Meeting.

MEETINGS OF MINISTERS AND ELDERS.

Preparative—On Fourth day following the last First day in First, Fourth, Seventh, and Tenth months, at 2:30 P.M., at Glens Falls.

Clerk—Stephen T. Birdsall, Glens Falls, N. Y.

On Fifth day following the last First day, at close of Monthly Meeting in First and Seventh months, in Moreau.

And at same time in Fourth and Tenth months in South Glens Falls.

Clerk—Charles Robinson, South Glens Falls, N. Y.

Quarterly—At Glens Falls on Sixth day preceding third First day in Second, Fifth, and Eleventh months, and on Sixth day preceding fourth First day in Eighth month, at 2 P.M.

Clerk—Charles Robinson, South Glens Falls, N. Y.

MEETINGS FOR WORSHIP.

Glens Falls—First day at 10:30 A.M. and 7:30 P.M.

Fourth day at 7:30 P.M.

Oneida—First day at 11 A.M.

Luzerne—First day at 2.30 P.M.

Moreau—First day at 10:30 A.M. and 7:30 P.M.

South Glens Falls—First day at 2 P.M.

Fifth day at 7:30 P.M.

Fort Edward Centre—First day at 2 P.M.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR MEETINGS.

Glens Falls—First day at 6 P.M.

5 P.M., Junior.

South Glens Falls—Fifth day at 7:30 P.M.

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WOMEN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION.

Monthly, by appointment, at private houses at Glens Falls.

BIBLE SCHOOLS.

Glens Falls—First day at 12 M.

Superintendent—William J. Scales,

Glens Falls, N. Y.

Oneida—First day at 9:30 A.M.

Superintendent—Harry Sweet,

Glens Falls, N. Y.

Luzerne—First day at 1:30 P.M.

Superintendent—Walter Hartman,

Hartman, Warren Co., N. Y.

Moreau—First day at close of meeting.

Superintendent—Otis Hall,

Gansevoort, N. Y.

South Glens Falls—First day at close of meeting.

Superintendent—Albert Robinson,

South Glens Falls, N. Y.

Fort Edward Centre—First day at close of meeting.

Superintendent—William Carey,

Gansevoort, N. Y.

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1809—1896.

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1871-1872

FERRISBURG QUARTERLY MEETING.

About the year 1790 Joseph Hoag and his wife removed to Charlotte, Vermont. He says :

" We soon obtained liberty to hold a meeting, and in a few years a Preparative Meeting was settled.

" The Lord blessed our labors; many being convinced joined our Society. The increase of young Friends moving in caused meetings to be settled at Peru, Grand Isle, and Lincoln. My wife and myself found it our duty when at home to be faithful in attending our meetings. The first two years we used to walk over four miles twice in the week, spring, summer, and fall. In the winter I used my oxen for a team, starting about sunrise with my whole family. We could get to meeting in season and home about sunset. When I became able to purchase a horse and keep it for my wife to ride to meeting I felt rich.

" When we had several settled meetings and others beginning, Friends thought it right to have a Monthly Meeting; so they requested for one and obtained it with Danby annexed."

Friends lived in simplicity in Vermont in those early days. Once settled on farms of their own, each family constructed out of the abundant timber its own rough but comfortable abode. Their milk, butter, eggs, beef, maple sugar, and Indian corn were all home produc-



tions, and their clothing was home-spun. Except for occasional supplies of wheat flour or hardware, they had little need to resort to the stores.

In 1795 a meeting was established at Montpelier. Henry Hull, who attended Ferrisburg Monthly Meeting at this time, speaks of crossing Lake Champlain in an open canoe to attend Peru Monthly Meeting, which was, he says, a season of sweet communion and mutual refreshment. The old meeting-house stands disused at East Montpelier, Vt., now; there is another at Lincoln, near Bristol, and a third, more recently vacated, at Charlotte, Vt., has been sold.

A Quarterly Meeting was established in 1809. It then included Danby, Moncton, and Peru Monthly Meetings, set off from Easton Quarterly Meeting.

LOCATION.

Beautiful for situation are the meetings of this section. The roads wind about amid green wooded hills, rich pasture-land valleys, and along wild and romantic water courses. The Green Mountains, with Camel's Hump in the background, loom up on the northeast, while along the western horizon lie faintly outlined the opal-tinted Adirondacks. The meetings are now all included in the northern part of Addison County. The nearest railroad station to most of these meetings is Bristol, the terminus of a branch, the Bristol Railroad, that connects with the Rutland & Burlington Railroad at New Haven (Vt.) junction.

South Starksboro is northeast from Bristol seven miles; Monkton Ridge, north from Bristol eight miles; Lincoln, the closed meeting, is four and a half miles

east of Bristol ; Jerusalem, northeast seven miles, and out beyond it a wedge-shaped "Gore" between two counties, a rich field for mission enterprise ; Montpelier is forty miles east from Bristol, and North Ferrisburg northwest ten miles—this last is a few miles from Vergennes station on Rutland & Burlington Railroad ; Charlotte, over the line in Chittenden County, is north of Bristol ten miles and is also accessible from Vergennes.

In 1876 to 1878 the only gathering place for the Friends at Monkton Ridge was the so-called town hall, which did duty also as a storage and auction room. The blessing of the Lord rested upon the work then undertaken, a good meeting-house was built, and meeting and school have since been maintained in it.

Farnham meeting-house is at East Farnham, Province of Quebec, Canada, fifty miles southeast of Montreal and thirty miles east of St. John on the Sorrel River. It is twenty-five miles north of the Vermont border line. It is accessible by taking Central Vermont or Delaware & Hudson Railroad to St. John, changing there to the Canadian Pacific Railroad, and leaving the train at Cowansville, three miles distant from meeting-house ; or coming from Boston by Boston, Canadian Pacific Railroad to East Farnham station direct. This also is three miles from meeting-house.

FERRISBURG QUARTERLY MEETING

is held on Seventh day following the first First day at 11 A.M.

At Monkton Ridge in Second month.

At North Ferrisburg in Fifth month.



At South Starksboro in Eighth month.

At East Farnham, Province of Quebec, Can., in
Tenth month.

Membership, 257.

Clerk :

William Henry Dean, North Ferrisburg, Vt.

This meeting includes two Monthly Meetings : FERRISBURG and FARNHAM.

1. FERRISBURG MONTHLY MEETING

is held on the last Fourth day of each month, 11 A.M.

At South Starksboro in First, Third, and Tenth months.

At North Ferrisburg in Second, Sixth, Eighth, and Twelfth months.

At Monkton Ridge in Fourth, Seventh, Ninth, and Eleventh months.

Clerk :

Francis A. Miles, Monkton, Vt.

Correspondent :

Samuel Miles, Monkton Ridge, Vt.

Treasurer :

Joshua M. Dean, North Ferrisburg, Vt.

Ministers :

Samuel Miles, Monkton Ridge, Vt.

Frederick Skiff, " "

Edwin Meader, West Lincoln, "

William M. Palmer, North Ferrisburg, Vt.

Mary A. Hoag, Keeseville, N. Y.

Susie Norris, (of Cleveland, O.)

Elders:

William H. Dean,	North Ferrisburg, Vt.
Eliza M. Dean,	“ “
Carrie E. Williams,	“ “
Joshua M. Dean,	“ “
Lucy M. Dean,	“ “
Lewis L. Collins,	“ “
Sarah M. Hazard,	“ “
Mary Putnam,	Ferrisburg, “
Mary A. Young,	South Starksboro, “
Naomi E. Purrinton,	“ “
Nelson H. Purrinton,	Bristol, Vt.
Sarah B. Meader,	“ “
Elvira M. Meader,	“ “
Sarah J. Purrinton,	“ “

This meeting includes three Preparative Meetings :
 MONKTON, FERRISBURG, STARKSBORO.

MONKTON PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on next to last Fourth day of each month, 10
 A.M., at Monkton Ridge.

Membership, 90.

Clerk:

Samuel Miles, Monkton Ridge, Vt.

FERRISBURG PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on Fifth day before last Fourth day in each
 month, 7:30 P.M., at North Ferrisburg.

Membership, 63.

Clerk:

William M. Palmer, North Ferrisburg, Vt.

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STARKSBORO PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on Fifth day before last Fourth day of each month, 7:30 P.M., at South Starksboro.

Membership, 78.

Clerk :

Abby J. Birdsall,

South Starksboro, Vt.

2. FARNHAM MONTHLY MEETING

is held on Fifth day preceding the last First day in each month, 10 A.M., at East Farnham, Canada.

Membership, 26.

Clerk:

Matilda J. Fordyce,

East Farnham,
Province of Quebec, Can.

Correspondent:

Joshua Bull,

East Farnham,
Province of Quebec, Can.

Treasurer:

Windsor J. Purington,

East Farnham,
Province of Quebec, Can.

Minister:

Matilda J. Fordyce,

East Farnham,
Province of Quebec, Can.

Elders:

Hannah B. Goddard,

East Farnham,
Province of Quebec, Can.

Laura Goddard,

East Farnham,
Province of Quebec, Can.

ARTICLE 1. PURPOSE AND SCOPE

1.1. This agreement is made this 1st day of January, 1918, between the American Medical Association and the United States Government, for the purpose of securing the cooperation of the medical profession in the war effort.

1.2. It is the policy of the Government to secure the cooperation of the medical profession in the war effort.

1.3. The American Medical Association agrees to cooperate with the Government in the war effort.

1.4. This agreement shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its execution.

ARTICLE 2. COOPERATION IN THE WAR EFFORT

2.1. The American Medical Association agrees to cooperate with the Government in the war effort by the following means:

2.2. To provide medical services to the armed forces of the United States.

2.3. To provide medical services to the civilian population in the United States.

2.4. To provide medical services to the foreign population in the United States.

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Windsor J. Purington,	East Farnham,
	Province of Quebec, Can.
Joshua Bull,	East Farnham,
	Province of Quebec, Can.

No Preparative Meeting.

MEETINGS OF MINISTERS AND ELDERS.

Preparative—At South Starksboro, last Third day in
First month, 2 P.M.

At Monkton Ridge, same day and hour in Fourth,
Seventh, and Ninth months.

Clerk—Samuel Miles, Monkton Ridge, Vt.

At East Farnham, Fifth day preceding last First
day in First, Fourth, Seventh, and Ninth
months at 9 A.M.

Clerk—H. B. Goddard, East Farnham,
Province of Quebec, Can.

Quarterly—Sixth day following the first First day, at
2 P.M.

Held at Monkton Ridge in Second month.

At North Ferrisburg in Fifth month.

At South Starksboro in Eighth month.

At East Farnham in Tenth month.

Clerk—Eliza M. Dean, North Ferrisburg, Vt.

MEETINGS FOR WORSHIP.

Monkton Ridge—First day, 11 A.M.

Fifth day, 7 P.M.

North Ferrisburg—First day, 11 A.M. and 7 P.M.

South Starksboro—First day, 11 A.M.

Fifth day, 7:30 P.M.

Jerusalem (school house)—First day, 2:30 P.M.

1. The first part of the paper is devoted to a general discussion of the problem of the existence of solutions of the system of equations (1) for arbitrary values of the parameters α and β . It is shown that the system has solutions for all values of the parameters α and β if and only if the condition $\alpha + \beta > 0$ is satisfied.

2. In the second part of the paper the problem of the existence of solutions of the system of equations (1) for arbitrary values of the parameters α and β is solved. It is shown that the system has solutions for all values of the parameters α and β if and only if the condition $\alpha + \beta > 0$ is satisfied. The solutions are found in explicit form.

3. In the third part of the paper the problem of the existence of solutions of the system of equations (1) for arbitrary values of the parameters α and β is solved. It is shown that the system has solutions for all values of the parameters α and β if and only if the condition $\alpha + \beta > 0$ is satisfied. The solutions are found in explicit form.

4. In the fourth part of the paper the problem of the existence of solutions of the system of equations (1) for arbitrary values of the parameters α and β is solved. It is shown that the system has solutions for all values of the parameters α and β if and only if the condition $\alpha + \beta > 0$ is satisfied. The solutions are found in explicit form.

East Farnham—First day, 10 A.M.

Fifth day, 10 A.M.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR MEETINGS.

Monkton Ridge—First day, 7:30 P.M.

South Starksboro—First day, 7:30 P.M.

East Farnham,
at Union Church, } First day, 7:00 P.M.

WOMEN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY MEETINGS.

East Farnham—First Fifth day of each month, after
mid-week meeting.

BIBLE SCHOOLS.

Monkton Ridge—First day, 12:30 P.M.

Superintendent—M. A. Potter, Monkton, Vt.

North Ferrisburg—First day, 12:30 P.M.

Superintendent—Mary Dakin,

North Ferrisburg, Vt.

South Starksboro—First day, 12:30 P.M.

Superintendent—William Labor, Bristol, Vt.

Jerusalem (school house)—First day, 3 P.M.

Superintendent—Agnes Nichols,

South Starksboro, Vt.

East Farnham—First day, 11 A.M. or close of meeting.

Superintendent—Joshua Bull, East Farnham,

Province of Quebec, Can.

Farnham Glen,
in school house, } First day, 2:30 P.M.

Superintendent—Matilda J. Fordyce,

East Farnham,

Province of Quebec, Can.



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BUTTERNUTS QUARTERLY MEETING.

Duanesburg Quarterly Meeting was established in 1812 and included Coeymans, west of Hudson River, Duanesburg, and the Butternuts Monthly Meeting set off from Stanford Quarterly Meeting. In 1838 the name was changed to Butternuts Quarterly Meeting.

In the early days Friends used to ride from the meetings in this Quarter over into Pennsylvania, into which State the latter extended. The Minutes of a Preparative Meeting at Deerfield, Penn., from 1815 to 1844, are still extant. In 1844 the Deerfield Meeting seems to have been laid down.

Joseph Talcott, after having patiently traversed this region over many times in his visits to the scattered flocks, writes plaintively in advancing life in 1829:

"The Quarterly Meeting of which I am now a member extends from east to west about two hundred and sixty miles, and from north to south one hundred and twenty, embracing about thirty meetings, many of them small and remote from each other. This section of country was a few years ago a vast wilderness, but is now becoming populous, consisting of a larger proportion of children and youth, new countries being usually settled mostly with people in younger life."

LOCATION.

The meetings of this Quarter are still scattered over a large area in three different counties of the central part

of Western New York. Butternuts meeting is in the southwestern part of Otsego County. The nearest railroad station is at Oneonta, on the Delaware & Hudson Railroad, between Schenectady and Binghamton. West Laurens is nine miles northwest of Oneonta, and Morris is four miles west of West Laurens.

The meeting-house at Westmoreland is in the village of that name, four miles south of Rome, in the centre of Oneida County, N. Y. Rome is on the New York Central Railroad. Westmoreland is also one and a half miles easterly from Bartlett and Dix, stations on the New York, Ontario & Western Railroad.

The Smyrna meeting house is in that village, in the northern part of Chenango County, in Central New York. It is on the West Shore Railroad, thirty-five miles southwest of Utica, forty miles southeast of Schenectady.

The house at Brookfield is called York school-house. It is in the southeastern corner of Madison County, which is next north of Chenango County, in Central New York. Brookfield is seven miles southeast of North Brookfield on the New York, Ontario & Western Railroad, twenty-two miles southwest of Utica.

West Branch was the scene of blessed revival seventeen years ago, which resulted in the reopening of the meeting at that point. Several other meetings and schools soon after sprang up in that vicinity, but have since been discontinued. The meeting-house is in the village of West Branch, in the northern part of Oneida County, thirteen miles northwest of Rome on the New York Central Railroad and its nearest railroad station.

West Ava is a few miles north of West Branch.

The first of these was the discovery of gold in California in 1848. This led to a great influx of people to the state, and the population grew rapidly. The second was the discovery of gold in Nevada in 1859. This also led to a great influx of people to the state, and the population grew rapidly.

The third was the discovery of gold in Colorado in 1858. This also led to a great influx of people to the state, and the population grew rapidly. The fourth was the discovery of gold in Idaho in 1860. This also led to a great influx of people to the state, and the population grew rapidly.

The fifth was the discovery of gold in Montana in 1862. This also led to a great influx of people to the state, and the population grew rapidly. The sixth was the discovery of gold in Wyoming in 1869. This also led to a great influx of people to the state, and the population grew rapidly.

The seventh was the discovery of gold in Utah in 1863. This also led to a great influx of people to the state, and the population grew rapidly. The eighth was the discovery of gold in Arizona in 1863. This also led to a great influx of people to the state, and the population grew rapidly.

The ninth was the discovery of gold in New Mexico in 1861. This also led to a great influx of people to the state, and the population grew rapidly. The tenth was the discovery of gold in Texas in 1856. This also led to a great influx of people to the state, and the population grew rapidly.

The eleventh was the discovery of gold in Louisiana in 1862. This also led to a great influx of people to the state, and the population grew rapidly. The twelfth was the discovery of gold in Mississippi in 1862. This also led to a great influx of people to the state, and the population grew rapidly.

The thirteenth was the discovery of gold in Alabama in 1862. This also led to a great influx of people to the state, and the population grew rapidly. The fourteenth was the discovery of gold in Georgia in 1862. This also led to a great influx of people to the state, and the population grew rapidly.

The fifteenth was the discovery of gold in Florida in 1862. This also led to a great influx of people to the state, and the population grew rapidly. The sixteenth was the discovery of gold in South Carolina in 1862. This also led to a great influx of people to the state, and the population grew rapidly.

BUTTERNUTS QUARTERLY MEETING

is held on Seventh and First days following the second First day, at 11 A.M.

At Morris in First month.

At Smyrna in Fifth month.

At West Branch in Eighth month.

At Westmoreland in Tenth month.

Membership, 360.

Clerk :

J. William Peckham, Rome, N. Y.

This meeting includes four Monthly Meetings: BUT-
TERNUTS, WESTMORELAND, SMYRNA, WEST BRANCH.

1. BUTTERNUTS MONTHLY MEETING

is held on Fourth day after fourth Fifth day, 11 A.M.

At West Laurens in First, Third, Fifth, Seventh,
Ninth, and Eleventh months.

At Morris in Second, Fourth, Sixth, Eighth,
Tenth, and Twelfth months.

Clerk :

Andrew R. Sutherland, Morris, Otsego Co., N. Y.

Correspondent :

Elizabeth Bull, West Oneonta,
Otsego Co., N. Y.

Treasurer :

Levi Youmans, Morris, Otsego Co., N. Y.

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Hannah E. C. Soden, West Laurens,
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 Otsego Co., N. Y.

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Elizabeth Bull,	“ “
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	Otsego Co., N. Y.
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Eliza K. Bowne,	“ “ “
Levi Youmans,	“ “ “
Jabez Collins,	East Greenwich, R. I.
Eliza M. Smith,	“ “

This meeting includes two Preparative Meetings:
 WEST LAURENS and MORRIS.

WEST LAURENS PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on third Fifth day in each month, 2 P.M., at
 West Laurens.

Membership, 59.

Clerk :

Hannah E. C. Soden, West Laurens,
 Otsego Co., N. Y.

MORRIS PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on Fourth day preceding fourth Fifth day of
 each month, 11 A.M., at Morris.

Membership, 39.

Clerk :

Levi Youmans, Morris, Otsego Co., N. Y.



2. WESTMORELAND MONTHLY MEETING

is held on last Fifth day of each month, 1 P.M., at Westmoreland.

Membership, 24.

Clerk and Correspondent :

J. William Peckham, Rome, N. Y.

Treasurer :

Ezra J. Adams, Westmoreland, N. Y.

Ministers :

Mary A. Peckham, Rome, N. Y.

J. William Peckham, " "

Elders :

Joseph Hill, Rome, N. Y.

Ruth S. Hill, " "

Julia L. Townsend, " "

Ezra J. Adams, Westmoreland, N. Y.

Cynthia Adams, " "

Lydia R. Gibson, Bartlett, N. Y.

No Preparative Meeting.

3. SMYRNA MONTHLY MEETING

is held on Fourth day after first First day, 11 A.M.

At Smyrna in First, Third, Fifth, Seventh, Ninth, and Eleventh months.

At Brookfield in the alternate months, Second, Fourth, Sixth, Eighth, Tenth, and Twelfth.

Clerk :

John S. Weaver, Smyrna, N. Y.

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Madison Co., N. Y.

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Madison Co., N. Y.

Mary L. York, Brookfield,
Madison Co., N. Y.

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Chenango Co., N. Y.

Charles Weaver, Smyrna,
Chenango Co., N. Y.

Rebecca Weaver, Smyrna,
Chenango Co., N. Y.

Phebe A. Weaver, Smyrna,
Chenango Co., N. Y.

This meeting includes two Preparative Meetings :
SMYRNA and BROOKFIELD.

SMYRNA PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on first Fifth day after 21st of each month,
2:30 P.M., at Smyrna.

The meeting-house in Smyrna village has recently been sold, and will be used only for Monthly and Quarterly Meetings till the completion of the new house now in process of erection at Upperville, a suburb of

Smyrna. Friends temporarily use for their meetings a room in a dwelling house at Upperville, which, with site for meeting-house, has been conveyed to them by deed of gift.

Membership, 46.

Clerk:

Phebe A. Weaver, Smyrna, N. Y.

BROOKFIELD PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on Fifth day after last First day in each month, 7 P.M., at Brookfield.

Membership, 56.

Clerk:

Alonzo C. York, North Brookfield, N. Y.

4. WEST BRANCH MONTHLY MEETING

is held on last Fourth day of each month, 1:30 P.M., at West Branch.

Membership, 136.

Clerk:

Ellison R. Purdy, West Branch, N. Y.

Correspondent and Treasurer:

Edgar Jenks, Stokes, Oneida Co., N. Y.

Minister:

Ellison R. Purdy, West Branch, N. Y.

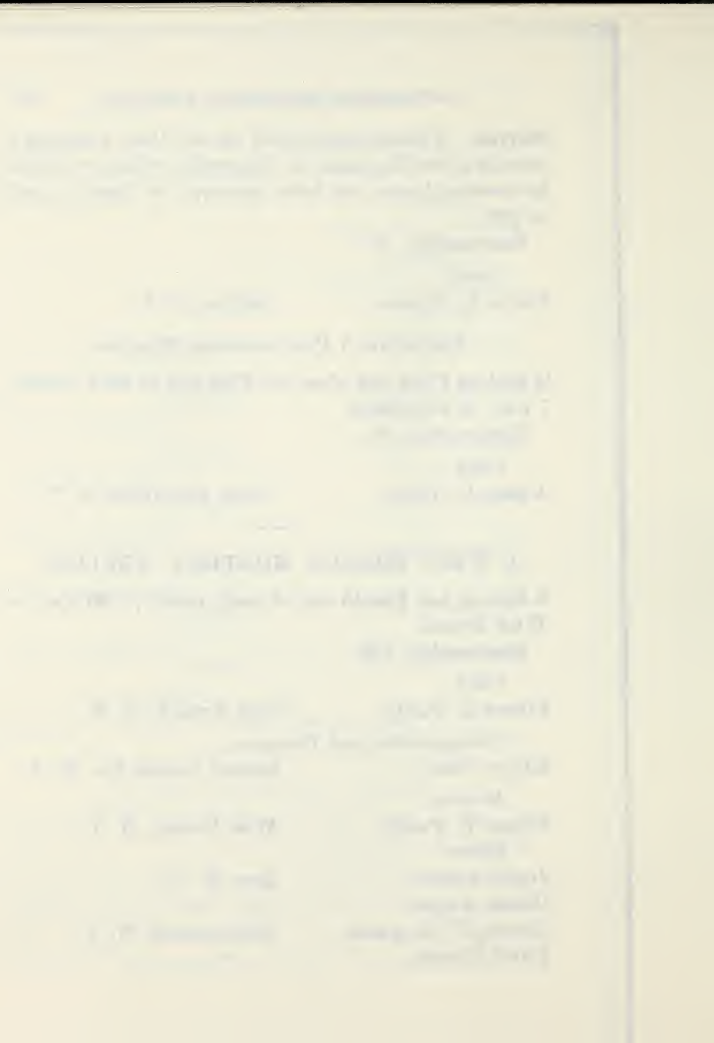
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Rhoda Adams, " "

George W. Bergman, West Branch, N. Y.

David Karlen, " "



Maggie Karlen,	West Branch, N. Y.
Kate Wyman,	" "
Irena Wyman,	Rome, N. Y.
Henry Wyman,	West Branch, N. Y.
Jerusha Wyman,	" "
Edgar Jenks,	Stokes, Oneida Co., N. Y.
Ellen Jenks,	" " "

No Preparative Meeting.

MEETINGS OF MINISTERS AND ELDERS.

Preparative—At close of Monthly Meeting on Fourth day after fourth Fifth day.

At Morris in Fourth and Twelfth months.

At West Laurens in Seventh and Ninth months.

Clerk—Martha White, West Oneonta, N. Y.

At close of Monthly Meeting on Fourth day after first First day in First, Fifth, Eighth, and Tenth months at Smyrna.

Clerk—Emily E. Peckham, Smyrna, N. Y.

At Westmoreland on last Fifth day of Fourth, Seventh, Ninth, and Twelfth months, 2:30 P.M.

Clerk—J. William Peckham, Rome, N. Y.

At West Branch on last Fourth day of Fourth, Seventh, Ninth, and Twelfth months, 1:30 P.M.

Clerk—Henry Wyman,

West Branch, Oneida Co., N. Y.

Quarterly—On Sixth day following second First day, 2 P.M.

At Morris in First month.

At Smyrna in Fifth month.

At West Branch in Eighth month.

At Westmoreland in Tenth month.

Clerk—J. William Peckham, Rome, N. Y.

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MEETINGS FOR WORSHIP.

West Laurens—First day at 11 A.M.

Morris—First day at 11 A.M.

Westmoreland—First day at 11 A.M.

Fifth day at 1 P.M.

Smyrna—First day at 10:30 A.M.

Fifth day at 2 P.M.

Brookfield—First day at 11 A.M. at meeting-house.

Prayer Meeting First day at 7:30 P.M. at residences.

West Branch—First day at 11 A.M.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR MEETINGS.

West Branch—First day at 6:30 P.M.

West Laurens—First day evening.

MISSIONARY MEETINGS.

West Laurens—First First day evening each month.

Morris—First Fifth day evening each month.

Smyrna—First day in connection with Bible School each month.

President—Catharine L. Weaver, Smyrna, N. Y.

BIBLE SCHOOLS.

West Laurens—First day forenoon at close of meeting.

Superintendent—Warren Weatherly,

West Laurens, Otsego Co., N. Y.

Morris—First day forenoon at close of meeting.

Superintendent—Curtis Draper,

Morris, Otsego Co., N. Y.

The first of these is the fact that the United States is a young nation. It has only been about 150 years since it was founded. This is a very short time in the history of the world. Yet in this short time, the United States has achieved many great things. It has become a world power, a leader in science and technology, and a model of democracy. This is all due to the hard work and sacrifice of the American people.

Another important fact is that the United States is a diverse nation. It is made up of people from many different backgrounds, races, and religions. This diversity is one of the strengths of the United States. It allows us to learn from each other and to create a more inclusive society. It is also a source of pride for many Americans.

Finally, it is important to remember that the United States is a nation of immigrants. Many of the people who have helped to build this country came from other parts of the world. They brought with them their own cultures, languages, and traditions. These have all contributed to the rich tapestry of American life.

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Rome, N. Y.

Smyrna—First day at 12 M.

Superintendent—James P. Knowles,
Smyrna, N. Y.

Brookfield—First day at 12 M.

Superintendent—Jacob Dresser,
Brookfield, Madison Co., N. Y.

West Branch—First day at 12 M.

Superintendent—George W. Bergman,
West Branch, N. Y.

West Ava—First day at 2 P.M.

Superintendent—Rhoda Adams, Ava, N. Y.



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SCIPIO QUARTERLY MEETING.

In 1806, after some months of careful deliberation on the subject, Joseph Talcott, who had lived and labored for the Lord at Washington, Dutchess County, for sixteen years, laid before Nine Partners Quarterly Meeting as an apprehension of duty the removal of himself and family to Scipio. A committee of eight Friends was appointed and the subject was weightily considered. With the full approbation and sympathy of his brethren in the Truth, he subsequently sold his farm in Dutchess County, settled his outward affairs to satisfaction, and in the spring of 1807 removed and settled on a small farm in the town of Scipio, in Cayuga County, where a few families of Friends had preceded him and were holding meetings in a log house.

The meeting at Scipio rapidly increased from emigration and conviction, and a commodious meeting-house was soon erected. Other meetings in the surrounding country were organized, schools instituted. The increasing wants of the growing Society involved much labor and exercise. To these needs Joseph Talcott and his co-laborers cheerfully devoted time, means, and talents. They travelled throughout Western New York and held meetings in the settlements. Many were attracted to Friends who joined the Society, and so meetings were set up before other denominations had organized, and it used to be said pleasantly

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that Quakerism was the established religion of that part of the country. With all the cares incident to pioneer life, Friends of Scipio and Farmington were mindful of the Indians and held meetings with them at Brothertown, Oneida, and Stockbridge.

The subject of suitable education for their children occupied the serious attention of Friends of this vicinity. Up to 1811 the schools were held in log-houses. In 1858 the boarding school at Union Springs was established by the Yearly Meeting as a continuation of the school at Nine Partners which had been laid down. It was incorporated in 1860.

The establishment of a Quarterly Meeting was constantly agitated among Friends, but it was not till 1825 that it was accomplished. It then included Scipio, De Ruyter, and Hector Monthly Meetings set off from Farmington Quarter. De Ruyter Meeting was subsequently laid down, leaving Scipio Quarterly Meeting as now constituted.

LOCATION.

Three of the meetings of Scipio Quarter are in Cayuga County, on the eastern shore of Cayuga Lake. This is a fine wheat-growing and fruit-producing country, the land gently sloping toward the lake. Union Springs meeting-house is centrally located in the village of the name, one-quarter of a mile from the station. Union Springs is on the Auburn & Ithaca branch of Lehigh Valley Railroad, which connects with New York Central Railroad at Cayuga for east-bound passengers, and at Auburn, Southern Central depot, for west-bound passengers. It is seven miles from the outlet of Cayuga Lake.

North Street meeting stands on the road one and a half miles west of Sherwood and four miles east of Aurora, which is the nearest railroad station. Aurora is on Auburn & Ithaca Branch Railroad, seven miles south of Union Springs, and also on Cayuga Lake. Poplar Ridge meeting-house is one mile south of the post-office of same name and six miles southeast of Aurora. It is four miles from North Street meeting and is often spoken of as South Street.

Skaneateles meeting-house is centrally located in village of same name, in Onondaga County, at the foot of Skaneateles Lake. It is the terminus of the Skaneateles Railroad, which connects with the Auburn branch of New York Central Railroad. Skaneateles is seven miles east of Auburn and eighteen miles southwest of Syracuse.

Hector is one and a half miles from Mecklenburg, near the northern edge of Schuyler County, between Cayuga and Seneca lakes. It is seven miles from Trumansburg on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, which connects with the Auburn branch of the New York Central Railroad at Geneva.

Evans' Mills meeting is quite remote from the others of this Quarter. It is two miles east of the village of Evans' Mills, in Jefferson County, northern part of New York, east of Lake Ontario. It is a station on the Rome, Watertown & Ogdensburg Railroad, which connects at Syracuse and at Rome with the New York Central Railroad. It is ten miles northeast of Watertown.

Le Raysville school house is a few miles southeast of Evans' Mills.

SCIPIO QUARTERLY MEETING

is held on last Seventh day at 11 A.M.

At Skaneateles in Fourth month.

At North Street in Sixth month.

At Hector in Ninth month.

At Poplar Ridge in Twelfth month.

Membership, 325.

Clerk:

Caleb C. Wixom,

Perry City,

Schuyler Co., N. Y.

This meeting includes three Monthly Meetings :
SCIPIO, HECTOR, EVANS' MILLS.

1. SCIPIO MONTHLY MEETING

is held on third Fourth day of each month, 11 A.M.

At Union Springs in First, Fifth, and Tenth months.

At Poplar Ridge in Second, Sixth, and Ninth months.

At Skaneateles in Third, Seventh, and Eleventh months.

At North Street in Fourth, Eighth, and Twelfth months.

Clerk:

Isaac P. Hazard,

Poplar Ridge,

Cayuga Co., N. Y.

Correspondent:

Isaac Mekeel,

Poplar Ridge,

Cayuga Co., N. Y.

Treasurer :

Dexter Wheeler,	Poplar Ridge, Cayuga Co., N. Y.
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Ministers :

Mary H. Thomas,	Union Springs, Cayuga Co., N. Y.
Samuel Simkin,	Poplar Ridge, Cayuga Co., N. Y.
Chauncey B. Thorne,	Skaneateles, Onondaga Co., N. Y.

Elders :

Sarah Sherman,	Union Springs, Cayuga Co., N. Y.
Franklin Allen,	Union Springs, Cayuga Co., N. Y.
Emily Thomas,	Union Springs, Cayuga Co., N. Y.
Statira Gifford,	Sherwood, Cayuga Co., N. Y.
Esther Gifford,	Sherwood, Cayuga Co., N. Y.
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Jesse Mekeel,	Poplar Ridge, Cayuga Co., N. Y.
Sarah Baker,	Poplar Ridge, Cayuga Co., N. Y.
Hannah E. Mekeel,	Poplar Ridge, Cayuga Co., N. Y.
Caleb W. Allis,	Skaneateles, N. Y.
Elizabeth H. Thorne,	" "
Amelia A. Thorne,	" "

This meeting includes four Preparative Meetings:
SKANEATELES, UNION SPRINGS, NORTH STREET, and
POPLAR RIDGE.

SKANEATELES PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on first Fifth day of each month, 7:30 P.M., at
Skaneateles.

Membership, 24.

Clerk :

Chauncey B. Thorne, Skaneateles, N. Y.

UNION SPRINGS PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on first Fourth day of each month, 7:30 P.M.,
at Union Springs.

Membership, 38.

Clerk :

George L. Jones, Union Springs, N. Y.

NORTH STREET PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on second Fifth day of each month, 7:30 P.M.,
at North Street.

Membership, 73.

Clerk :

Fanny T. Slocum, Sherwood, N. Y.

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POPLAR RIDGE PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on second Fourth day of each month, 7:30 P.M.,
at Poplar Ridge.

Membership, 128.

Clerk :

Isaac McKeel,

Poplar Ridge, N. Y.

2. HECTOR MONTHLY MEETING

is held on second Fourth day in each month, 11 A.M.,
at Hector.

Membership, 19.

Clerk and Treasurer :

Caleb C. Wixom,

Perry City, N. Y.

Correspondent :

Thomas Carmen,

Mecklenburg,

Schuyler Co., N. Y.

Minister :

None.

Elders :

Thomas Carmen,

Mecklenburg,

Schuyler Co., N. Y.

Caleb C. Wixom,

Perry City, N. Y.

No Preparative Meeting.

3. EVANS' MILLS MONTHLY MEETING

is held on Fifth day after first First day in each month,
11 A.M., at Evans' Mills.

Membership, 33.



Clerk :

Myron P. Gardner, Evans' Mills, N. Y.

Correspondent :

Hiram Wilbur, Evans' Mills, N. Y.

Ministers :

Warren Gardner, Evans' Mills, N. Y.

Margaret Wilbour, " "

Elders :

Ira Gardner, Evans' Mills, N. Y.

MEETINGS OF MINISTERS AND ELDERS.

Preparative—Third Fourth day, 10 A.M.

At North Street in Fourth and Twelfth months.

At Poplar Ridge in Sixth and Ninth months.

Clerk—Isaac Mekeel, Poplar Ridge, N. Y.

No Preparative Meeting Ministers and Elders in Hector or Evans' Mills.

Quarterly—Last Sixth day, 4 P.M.

At Skaneateles in Fourth month.

At North Street in Sixth month.

At Hector in Ninth month.

At Poplar Ridge in Twelfth month at 2 P.M.

Clerk—Chauncey B. Thorne, Skaneateles, N. Y.

MEETINGS FOR WORSHIP.

Skaneateles—First day and Fifth day at 10:30 A.M.

Union Springs—First day and Fourth day at 11 A.M.

North Street—First day and Fifth day at 11 A.M.

Poplar Ridge—First day at 10:30 A.M. and 7:30 P.M.

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Hector—First day at 11 A.M.

Evans' Mills—First day at 11 A.M.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR MEETINGS.

Union Springs—First day at 6:30 P.M.

Poplar Ridge—First day at 6:30 P.M.

North Street—First day at 6:30 P.M.

Hector—Members connected with Presbyterian Christian Endeavor Society at Mecklenburg.

Le Raysville School-house—First day at 7 P.M.

WOMEN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION.

Informal Meetings on afternoon of Monthly Meeting day at residence of Mary H. Thomas, Union Springs.

BIBLE SCHOOLS.

Skaneateles—First day at close of morning meeting.

Superintendent—Amelia Anna Thorne,
Skaneateles, N. Y.

Union Springs—Held at Oakwood Seminary on First day, 2:15 P.M.

Superintendent—Elijah Cook,
Union Springs, N. Y.

North Street—First day at close of morning meeting.

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Sherwood, N. Y.

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FARMINGTON
QUARTERLY MEETING,
1810—1896.

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FARMINGTON QUARTERLY MEETING.

In 1808 Joseph Talcott writes of attending Farmington Monthly Meeting with his wife and of the prospect then spreading that it may be to the encouragement and strength of Friends to come together in the capacity of a Quarterly Meeting. He speaks of the meetings as small and somewhat inexperienced.

In 1809 a committee was appointed at Farmington to confer with Friends of Scipio and De Ruyter on the subject of requesting to be established as a Quarterly Meeting. The recorder quaintly wishes that some of their "good Friends would leave their barren hills and rocks and come here and help us, where the bush has not been so much beaten."

Their request was acceded to. Farmington Quarterly Meeting was established in 1810. It then included Scipio and Farmington Monthly Meetings set off from Easton Quarter, and De Ruyter Monthly Meeting set off from Stanford.

One of the active workers writes in 1816:

"The burdens of society are heavy in a new country; committees have to travel many long journeys to visit requesters, offenders, and little meetings, and to look up those who move and settle in remote situations. Near twenty members have not long since been admitted at Cownisky, about one hundred miles from

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Monthly Meeting, and a Preparative Meeting and Meeting for Worship allowed them under the care of a committee whose duty requires them to attend very often. Several other distant meetings are under the care of a committee. Some Friends of De Ruyter have lately been to Holland Purchase, two hundred miles, on an appointment of the Quarterly Meeting."

The first General Meeting in New York was held at Farmington in Eighth month, 1871, and the wave of blessing that started here at that time swept over the whole Yearly Meeting, reviving and refreshing many souls.

LOCATION.

Farmington Quarterly Meeting is still widely spread out, its scattered meetings being situated in six different counties in Western New York, one or two in each at long distances one from another.

Farmington itself is in the northern part of Ontario County, about ten miles northwest of Canandaigua. The meeting-house is near a village three miles north of Farmington Station on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, and four miles south of Macedon on New York, West Shore & Buffalo Railroad.

Macedon meeting-house is at Macedon Centre, two and a half miles northwest from the New York, West Shore & Buffalo Railroad.

Rochester Monthly Meeting was established in 1817 or 1818. New York Yearly Meeting was held in this city in 1873 and 1876, at which time a large meeting-house was built there. This has since been sold and the small company of resident Friends meet at private houses. Stone Street is the second street running south-

east from St. Paul Street on East Main Street. The Monthly Meeting is held at Samuel Yole's, 439 South Clinton Place. Rochester is in Monroe County, six miles south of Lake Ontario. It is on the New York Central Railroad. Several other railroads meet at this centre.

Elba meeting-house is high on a hill, like a fortress to be held for the Lord. Elba is in the northern part of Genesee County, in Western New York, seven miles from Batavia. It is on the New York, West Shore & Buffalo Railroad. The meeting-house is two miles from the station. Batavia meeting is at Bushville, four miles west of Batavia, which is the central city of Genesee County, on the New York Central Railroad, about thirty-seven miles east of Buffalo.

Hartland meeting was established in 1821 and was at one time quite a thriving centre. A Friend, after a recent visit, writes: "Hartland is one of the landmarks. It is interesting to trace some of the Lord's dealings with His children in the history of the past. There are those now living there who remember the meetings in the log meeting house, and the rough travelling over 'corduroy roads,' the horses at times picking their way over floating rails and plunging through water and mire. The substantial stone meeting-house now in use was built in 1835, and a few years since was renovated and made more comfortable. It is believed that the Lord of the harvest has designed great good for this part of His heritage." Hartland is situated in the northeast part of Niagara County, five miles north of Gosport on Niagara branch of New York Central Railroad. It is about nine miles northeast of Lockport. One unused meeting-



house remains at Millville, in the central part of Orleans County, about thirteen miles east of Gosport.

Collins is in the extreme west of the State, on the southern border of Erie County, twenty-seven miles south of Buffalo. It is on the Buffalo & Southwestern Erie Railroad. The meeting-house is three hundred yards from the station. There is one disused meeting-house at North Collins, seven miles from Collins.

FARMINGTON QUARTERLY MEETING

is held on third Fourth day in First month, 11 A.M., at Collins.

On first Fourth day in Fourth month, 11 A.M., at Farmington.

On third Fourth day in Sixth month, 11 A.M., at Elba.

On first Fourth day in Tenth month, 11 A.M., at Hartland.

Meeting for Worship on the day following each Quarterly Meeting, 11 A.M.

Membership, 383.

Clerk:

Thomas R. Baker, Farmington, N. Y.

This meeting includes five Monthly Meetings: FARMINGTON, ROCHESTER, ELBA, HARTLAND, COLLINS.

1. FARMINGTON MONTHLY MEETING

is held on Fifth day preceding last First day in each month, at 11 A.M. It meets at Farmington in First, Third, Fourth, Sixth, Seventh, Ninth, Tenth, and



Twelfth months; at Macedon Centre in Second, Fifth, Eighth, and Eleventh months.

Clerk :

Adelaide H. Wood, Farmington, N. Y.

Correspondent :

Charles H. Wood, Farmington, N. Y.

Treasurer :

Thomas R. Baker, Farmington, N. Y.

Ministers :

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 Rebecca W. Flagler, Macedon, N. Y.

Elders :

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 Thomas R. Baker, " "
 Esther B. Kathamier, " "
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 Lorana B. Brown, Padelfords,
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 Wayne Co., N. Y.
 Mary E. Herendeen, Macedon,
 Wayne Co., N. Y.
 Elizabeth Baker, Macedon,
 Wayne Co., N. Y.
 Rachel J. Arnold, Macedon Centre,
 Wayne Co., N. Y.
 Susan M. Durfee, Macedon,
 Wayne Co., N. Y.



This meeting includes two Preparative Meetings:
FARMINGTON and MACEDON.

FARMINGTON PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on Fifth day preceding next to last First day in each month, 2:30 P.M., at Farmington.

Membership, 133.

Clerk:

Mary E. Herendeen, Macedon, Wayne Co., N. Y.

MACEDON PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on Fourth day preceding next to last First day in each month, 10:30 A.M., in Macedon Centre, at the house of Rachel Arnold.

Membership, 20.

Clerk:

Judith Post, Macedon Centre,
Wayne Co., N. Y.

2. ROCHESTER MONTHLY MEETING

is held with the Preparative Meeting on Fourth day before last First day of each month, at 7:30 P.M., at Samuel Yole's dwelling, 439 South Clinton Place, Rochester.

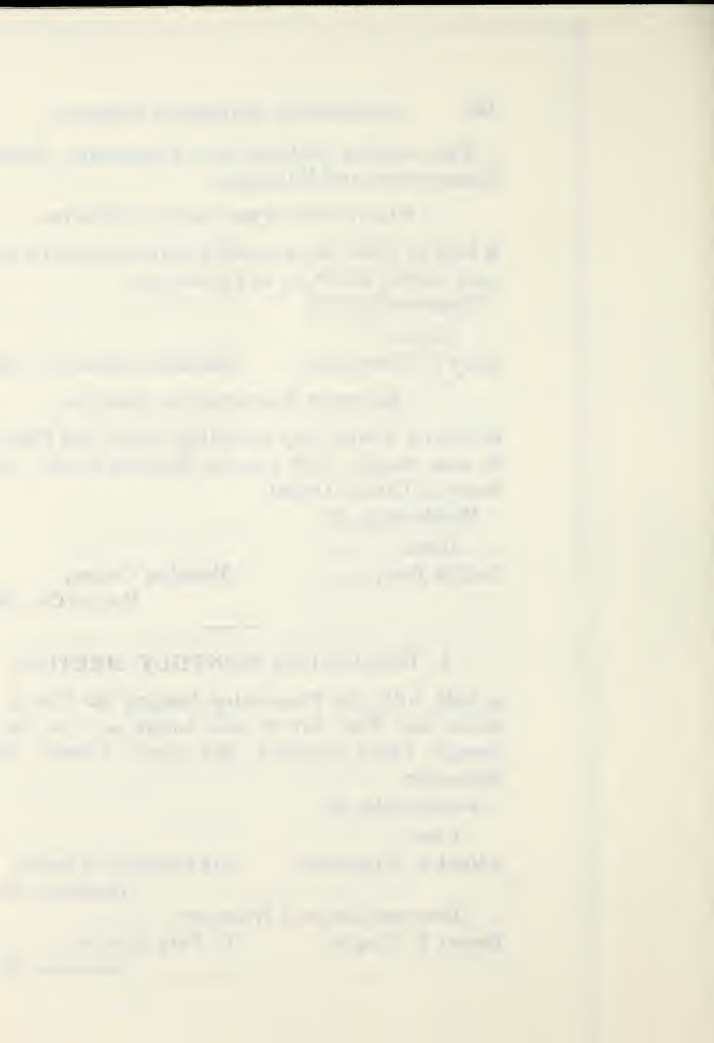
Membership, 42.

Clerk:

Alfred A. Nicholson, 119 Columbia Avenue,
Rochester, N. Y.

Correspondent and Treasurer:

Barnet B. Flagler, 14 Park Avenue,
Rochester, N. Y.



Ministers :

Alfred A. Nicholson,	119 Columbia Avenue, Rochester, N. Y.
Alexander M. Purdy,	Palmyra, N. Y.

Elders :

John Bell,	304 South Avenue, Rochester, N. Y.
Desire Estes,	Fairport, N. Y.
Barnet B. Flagler,	14 Park Avenue, Rochester, N. Y.
Jane A. Purdy,	Palmyra, N. Y.
Rebecca Nicholson,	119 Columbia Avenue Rochester, N. Y.

Palmyra meeting closed at present.

3. ELBA MONTHLY MEETING

is held on Fifth day before next to last First day in each month, 11 A.M. It meets at Elba in First, Third, Fifth, Seventh, Ninth, and Eleventh months; at Batavia in the alternate months, Second, Fourth, Sixth, Eighth, Tenth, and Twelfth.

Clerk :

Sarah H. Dillingham,	Elba, N. Y.
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Correspondent :

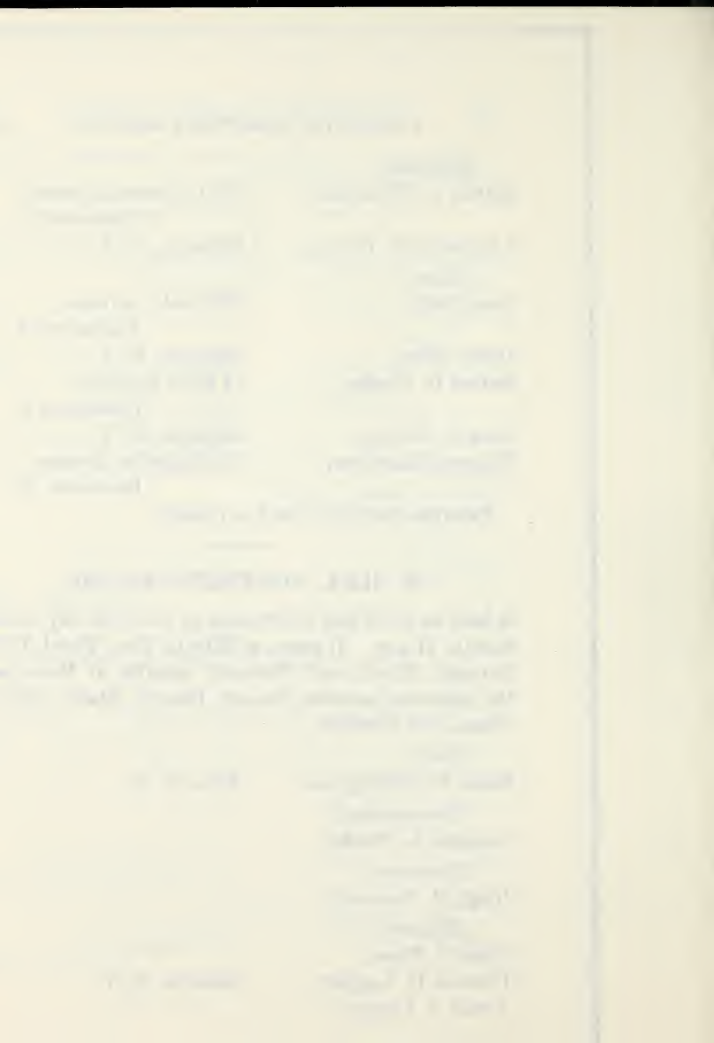
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Ministers :

John D. Piper,	" "
Hannah H. Leggett,	Batavia, N. Y.
Annie S. Leggett,	" "



Elders:

Hugh P. Shotwell,	Elba, N. Y.
Hannah Shotwell,	" "
James H. Weeks,	" "
Stephen H. Weeks,	" "
Bessie Garwood,	Batavia, N. Y.

This meeting includes two Preparative Meetings :
ELBA and BATAVIA.

ELBA PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on Fifth day of the week previous to Monthly Meeting, 11 A.M., at Elba.

Membership, 63.

Clerk:

Stephen H. Weeks,	Elba, N. Y.
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BATAVIA PREPARATIVE MEETING

is held on Fourth day of week preceding Monthly Meeting, 7:30 P.M., at Bushville.

Membership, 60.

Clerk:

Thomas H. Leggett,	Batavia, N. Y.
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4. HARTLAND MONTHLY MEETING

is held on Fifth day before next to last First day in each month, 2 P.M., at Hartland.

Membership, 35.

Clerk:

Phebe E. Brownell,	Johnson's Creek, Niagara Co., N. Y.
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Correspondent:

George Hull,	Gosport, N. Y.
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Niagara Co., N. Y.

Minister:

George Hull, Gosport, N. Y.

Elders:

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Phebe E. Brownell, Johnson's Creek,
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Niagara Co., N. Y.

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Hannah Hull, Gosport, N. Y.

Julia E. Hull.

This meeting includes one

HARTLAND PREPARATIVE MEETING.

held on Fourth day of the week preceding Monthly Meeting, 7 P.M., at Hartland.

Clerk:

Phebe E. Brownell, Johnson's Creek,
Niagara Co., N. Y.

5. COLLINS MONTHLY MEETING

is held on the last Fifth day of each month, at 7 P.M., before mid-week meeting, in the meeting-house or in the Pastorium next door to it.

Membership, 30.



Clerk:

Nellie A. Moore, Collins, Erie Co., N. Y.

Correspondent and Treasurer:

Stephen W. Smith, Collins, Erie Co., N. Y.

Minister:

David Little, " " "

Elders:

Ann M. Haines, 473 Franklin Street,
Buffalo, N. Y.

Sarah M. Wetherald, Collins, Erie Co., N. Y.

John Wetherald, " " "

Stephen W. Smith, " " "

No Preparative Meeting.

MEETING OF MINISTERS AND ELDERS.

Preparative—Fourth day before last First day in Third, Fifth, Ninth, and Twelfth months, at 2:30 P.M., at Farmington.

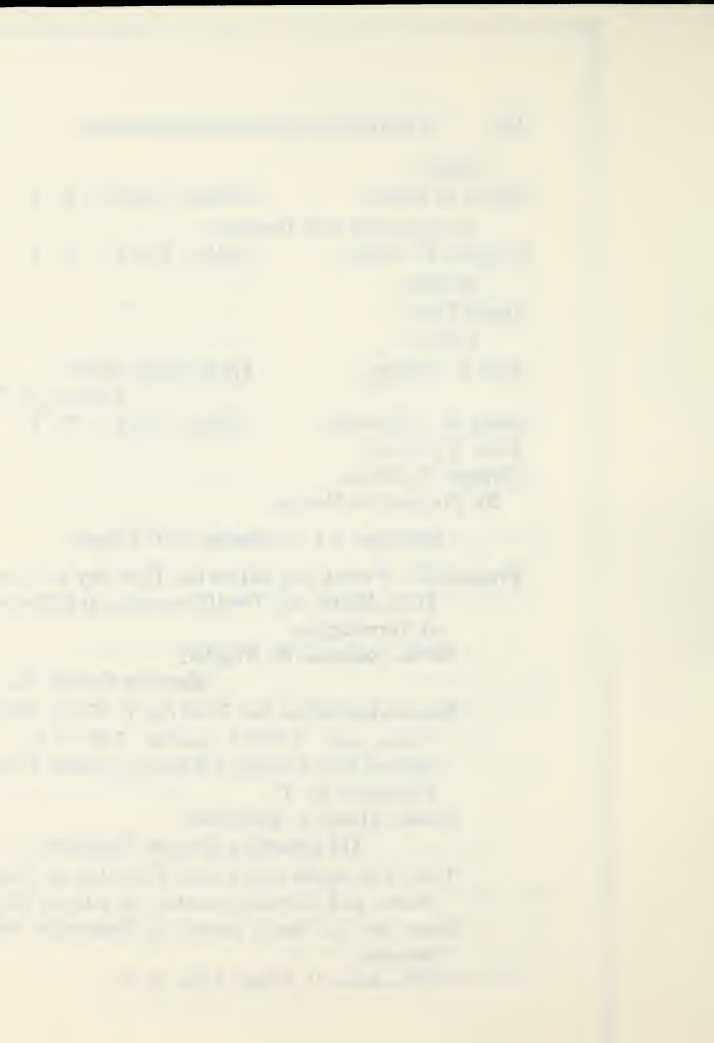
Clerk—Rebecca W. Flagler,
Macedon Centre, N. Y.

Fourth day before last First day in Third, Fifth, Ninth, and Twelfth months, 7:30 P.M., at Samuel Yole's house, 439 South Clinton Place, Rochester, N. Y.

Clerk—Alfred A. Nicholson,
119 Columbia Avenue, Rochester, N. Y.

Third day before next to last First day in Third, Ninth, and Eleventh months, 10 A.M., at Elba. Same day in Sixth month at Bushville, near Batavia.

Clerk—John D. Piper, Elba, N. Y.



At close of Monthly Meeting preceding Quarterly Meeting at Hartland.

Clerk—Mary Brownell,

Johnson's Creek, Niagara Co., N. Y.

Last Fifth day of Third, Fifth, Ninth, and Twelfth months, 6 P.M., at Collins.

Clerk—Sarah M. Wetherald,

Collins, Erie Co., N. Y.

Quarterly—Day preceding the Quarterly Meeting, at same place where it is held, 2 P.M.

Clerk—Mary E. Herendeen,

Macedon, Wayne Co., N. Y.

MEETINGS FOR WORSHIP.

Farmington—First day at 11 A.M.

Fifth day at 2:30 P.M.

Macedon Centre—First day at 11 A.M.

Rochester, at 28 Stone Street—First day at 10:30 A.M.

Elba—First day and Fifth day at 11 A.M.

Bushville—First day at 11 A.M.

Fourth day at 7:30 P.M.

Hartland—First day at 10:30 A.M.

Collins—First day at 11 A.M. and 8 P.M.

Fifth day at 7:45 P.M.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR MEETINGS.

Farmington—First day at 7:30 P.M.

Elba—First day at 7:30 P.M.

Hartland—Fourth day at 7:30 P.M. with Prayer Meeting.

Collins—First day at 7 P.M.

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MISSIONARY MEETINGS.

Farmington—Women's Foreign Missionary Meetings,
held monthly.

President—Mary J. Baker, Macedon, N. Y.

Bushville—Missionary Meetings held last Fifth day of
each month, 2 P.M., at private residences.

BIBLE SCHOOLS.

Farmington—First day, after morning meeting.

Superintendent—George E. Lapham,
Farmington, N. Y.

Also Summer Mission Schools maintained.

Macedon—First day, after morning meeting.

Superintendent—Hiram C. Durfee,
Macedon, Wayne Co., N. Y.

Rochester—First day, 12 M., at 23 Stone Street.

Superintendent—John Bell, 304 South Avenue,
Rochester, N. Y.

Elba—First day at close of morning meeting.

Superintendent—Alfred Dillingham, Elba, N. Y.

Bushville—First day at close of morning meeting.

Superintendent—Thomas H. Leggett,
Batavia, N. Y.

Hartland—First day at 11:30 A.M.

Superintendent—Matilda Rogers,
Johnson's Creek, Niagara Co., N. Y.

Collins—First day, after morning meeting.

Superintendent—David Little, Collins, N. Y.

Bible School Conferences are held on Fourth day
evening after each Quarter Meeting.

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